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U. S. CRUISER WILL INVESTIGATE JAPANESE ACTS IN TURTLE BAY

OCCUPATION SAID TO BE THE MOTIVE

Washington, April 17.—Admiral Howard, commanding the Pacific fleet off the west coast of Mexico, reported to the navy department today that he had ordered Commander Noble E. Irwin, of the cruiser New Orleans, to proceed at once to Turtle Bay, Lower California, and report on the activities of Japanese forces there.

The New Orleans was due to reach Turtle Bay today and Commander Irwin is expected to report the result of his inquiry by wireless.

Secretary Daniels had telegraphed Admiral Howard a summary of reports alleging that while the ostensible purpose of Japanese activities in Turtle Bay is to salvage the grounded cruiser Asama, the real object of the operations is to occupy the bay and adjoining shores as a basis of operations.

SAYS IT ISN'T SO

London, April 17, (2:55 p. m.)—Sir Henry Randall knows "nothing at all about it" is the reply telegraphed by Sir Henry today in response to a request for information in the matter of the report cabled here from he United States that he had invited in the evangelist, Billy Sunday, to join the fight for prohibition in England.

AMERICAN IS HELD AS SPY

London, April 17—Ludwig Paul Selbach, claiming to be an American citizen, was remanded to custody in London today on the charge of being an alien enemy who had failed to register himself in accordance with the British regulations.

Selbach admitted that he was born in Hamburg but he produced his preliminary declaration of American citizenship dated in July of 1900.

ANOTHER LINE NEEDED UNDER SUBMARINE F-4

Washington, April 17.—Rear Admiral Moore at Honolulu cabled the navy department today that at the close of yesterday's operations for raising the submarine F-4, three lines had been made fast to the submerged raft and transferred to the lifting pontoons. It is expected the vessel can be raised when a fourth line is attached.

125,000 WAGE EARNERS AFFECTED BY LOCKOUT OF CHICAGO BUILDERS

Chicago, April 17.—Lumber dealers of Chicago began laying off teamsters and laborers today as a result of the industrial war that broke out openly yesterday between buildings trades unionists and their employers.

Brick yards also gave evidence of an approaching cessation of work when announcements were posted that hundreds of employees would have to be taken off the payroll until the demand for building materials was resumed.

The lumber dealers' association announced that 5000 men would be discharged pending a settlement of the strikes and lockouts.

Chicago, April 17—A lockout of 16,000 union carpenters assumed serious proportions today, tying up operations valued at more than $30,000,000 on 4,000 buildings in Chicago and throwing out of employment 125,000 wage-earners, thousands of whom had no connection with the building industry itself.

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WALTERS DEFENDANT IN BANK LITIGATION

Columbus, April 17.—Lack of economy in the handling of funds is charged against George Walters, of Portsmouth, former state superintendent of banks, and now an examiner in the department, and Charles S. Northrup, Toledo attorney, by the Mechanics Savings Bank of Toledo, in a suit filed in the common pleas court here today against Walters and Northrup for $37,000.

The petition of the bank, whose president is H. E. French, says the bank was closed by the state banking department, May 9, 1912, and that on January 7, 1915, the assets remaining after liquidation, amounting to $12,000, were turned over to the bank.

It is charged that Walters in his official capacity and Northrup, engaged as special counsel, misused $11,000 of the bank's assets and that they with others squandered the remaining $37,000 in liquidation expense.

Mr. Walters, who is now in charge of the Cleveland district of the state banking department, could not be reached today and his version of the matter could not be obtained.

The charge that the Toledo bank was closed without authority in law made against Mr. Walters' predecessors in office had been bandied about the street for several years.

350,000 Germans In Carpathian Fighting

Zurich, Switzerland, Thursday, April 15, (via Paris, April 17)—Travelers from Germany are reaching Zurich, after delays resulting from the congestion of German railroad lines with troop trains. German troops, according to the travelers, are being moved in several directions, most of them toward Austria.

Private dispatches received here from Vienna say that no fewer than 350,000 Germans are actually fighting with the Austrians against the Russians in the Carpathians.

Washington, April 17—The sixth case of bubonic plague at Havana, Cuba, since the present outbreak began, was reported today to the public health service.

BUNNY IS RECOVERING

New York, April 17—John Bunny, the moving picture comedian, who has been ill for more than three weeks, was said today to have passed the crisis of his illness and to be on the way to recovery.

Nothing definite has as yet developed in the plans for incorporating a company to provide a permanent rescue home here for girls

MORE BULLETS FALL ACROSS BORDER LINE

Washington, April 17.—Major General Funston, at Brownsville, Texas, telegraphed the war department today that desultory firing was being kept up by the contending Mexican factions across the river at Matamoros, and that many bullets continued to fall upon the American side. So far no one has been injured on the American side.

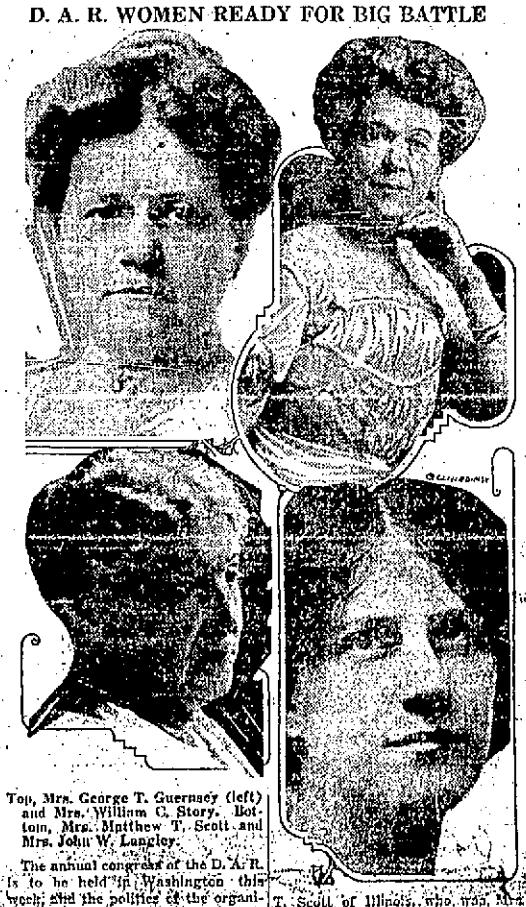
Brownsville, Tex., April 17.—The danger to Brownsville through a battle at Matamoros apparently was postponed indefinitely today. Major General Frederick Funston who has been here awaiting the Villa assault upon Matamoros, made preparations to return to San Antonio as soon as the movement of Villa troops confirm the correctness of their announcement last night that they intend to abandon the Matamoros campaign.

General Jose Rodriguez, commanding the Villa troops, took such precautions to hide his movements that an American correspondent who went to his camp yesterday was not permitted to return to the American side last night nor to file any despatches.

SERBIAN ARMY CREDIT

Nish, Serbia, April (Via London)—The Serbian government submitted to parliament today the new army credit of 200,000,000 francs.

D. A. R. WOMEN READY FOR BIG BATTLE



Top, Mrs. George T. Guernsey (left) and Mrs. William C. Story. Bottom, Mrs. Matthew T. Scott and Mrs. John W. Langley.

The annual congress of the D. A. R. is to be held in Washington this week, and the politics of the organization is at fever heat. The two candidates for the presidency are Mrs. George T. Guernsey of Kansas and Mrs. William C. Story of New York, the present incumbent. Two Guernsey workers are Mrs. Matthew T. Scott of Illinois, who was Mrs. Story's predecessor as president general, and Mrs. John W. Langley of Kentucky and North Carolina. Mrs. Langley is a candidate for recording secretary general of the organization on the Guernsey ticket.

WILL TAKE ACTION ON REMOVALS NEXT WEEK

Columbus, April 17—The time fixed tentatively by Governor Willis for "watchful waiting" on the situation created more than a week ago when he asked for the resignation of fourteen members of state commissions, expired today.

It was said at the executive offices the governor will be ready probably early next week to assume the aggressive and take steps to oust the officials who have been reluctant to resign.

It was pointed out at the executive offices today that only one official had actually offered his resignation, four others had acknowledged the governor's letter, but had refused to resign, and two had sent formal acknowledgment. Nine had ignored the governor's demand, although they had discussed the situation informally with a number of persons.

It is known that formal charges against the officials who refuse to quit are being prepared.

German Shells Fall On Swiss Territory

Delemont, Switzerland, April 17—(via Paris)—German shells fell on Swiss territory Tuesday for the third time since the outbreak of the war, says the newspaper Democrate.

The Germans were trying to destroy a French observation post at Pfetterhausen, but the gunners' aim was bad and the projectiles overshot their target, dropping round the town of Bourrevesain.

An investigation was made the following day by Swiss authorities, who took fragments of shells to Porentruy for examination by an expert.

$2,000,000 TO CHARITY

New York, April 17—The will of the late Mrs. John D. Rockefeller was filed in the surrogate's court today. She leaves bequests in the neighborhood of $500,000 and valuable articles of jewelry to friends and relatives. The rest of her estate, which is estimated in all at about $2,000,000, is bequeathed to charitable institutions.

MILLIONAIRE SILK MANUFACTURER DIES

South Willington, Conn., April 17.—Gardiner Hall, millionaire manufacturer of cotton and silk thread died at his home here today after a long illness. He was 78 years old.

BLOWN TO PIECES

Leipsic, O., April 17—Sanford Deck, 22 years old, was literally blown to pieces when a stick of dynamite which he was using to blast stumps on his father's farm, near here, yesterday, exploded in his hand. His bride of but three months was near him and witnessed the accident.

CLAIMS GRAND DUKE NICHOLAS SHOT BY RUSSIAN GEN'L FOLLOWING REPRIMAND

Berlin, April 17. (Wireless to Sayville)—The General Anzeiger, of Duisburg, Rhenish Prussia, says it learns "from an absolutely unimpeachable source" that the reported sickness of Grand Duke Nicholas Nicholaivitch, commander-in-chief of the Russian forces, was due to a shot in the abdomen fired by the late Gen. Sievers of the defeated Russian tenth army.

The General Anzeiger says Genoral Seivers was summoned by the Grand Duke to explain the defeat of the Russian tenth army. A heated colloquy took place, the newspaper says, and the grand duke gave Gen. Sievers a box on the ear. The latter thereupon drew a revolver and wounded the grand duke, subsequently turning the weapon upon himself.

The fact that General Sievers had commited suicide, the General Anzieger continues, was learned at the time of his funeral but the news that Grand Duke had been wounded has only just become known.

GERMAN AVIATOR WITHIN FIVE MILES OF LONDON

Berlin, April 17. (Wireless to Sayville)—The statement today from army headquarters is in part as follows:

"A German aviator shelled Greenwich, near London.

Greenwich, which the German war office says was shelled, is in the metropolitan district of London being situated on the Thames, five miles below London Bridge.

The German statement evidently refers to the raid made yesterday by a German aeroplane. London dispatches concerning this raid said that the nearest approach of the airship to the city was its appearance over Favorsham and Sitting Bourne, thirty miles ditsant.

Berlin, April 17. (By Wireless to Sayville)—Included in the items given out by the Over Seas New agency is the the following:

"Private telegrams received here from England by way of Holland say serious damage was done by the Zeppelins which recently flew over England. Bombs from the airships killed or wounded the officers and crew of patrol boats protecting ship yards, a fact which indicates that the bombs fell near the docks.

"The British censor prevented transmission of further details."

Ohio Operators Threaten To Take Drastic Action To End The Strike

Columbus, April 17.—Governor Willis spent more than an hour today in conference with eastern Ohio operators discussing the miners' strike situation and the possibility of reconsideration of the Gallagher bill, to amend the present mine run law which the house killed Thursday.

H. E. Willard, W. R. Woodford, and G. M. Jones, of Cleveland, representing the operators of eastern Ohio told the governor that unless the house reconsidered its action in killing the Gallagher bill and passed it next week, drastic action will be taken by the operators to end the strike and resume operations.

They mentioned the possibilty of importing strike breakers from other states. The operators also asserted to Governor Willis that they had not used questionable lobby tactics of which they had been accused by a report emanating from the legislative chambers. It was these reports which led Governor Willis to suggest to a number of house members Thursday that they vote down the bill, it was said at the executive office.

SAYS GEN. EXHAUSTION WILL WIN

Tokio, Japan, April 17—Count Okuma, the Japanese premier, speaking today to a number of journalists on the European war, expressed the opinion that hostilities soon would come to end owing to the exhaustion of the belligerents.

Unidentified Man Is Brutally Murdered

Cleveland, April 17.—Police here today faced a mystery in the brutal murder of a man, whose unidentified body was found at daybreak under a pile of rubbish near the Jefferson avenue bridge over the Cuyahoga river.

The back of the man's head was caved in as though with a club and his face battered beyond recognition. The body was slashed in a dozen places as though with a razor and the clothing hung in ribbons.

The authorities are working on the theory that the victim was killed in another part of the city and his body dragged to the bridge on a wagon and burned under the rubbish.

DROP BOMBS ON CAPITAL OF ALSACE

Amsterdam, Holland, April 17. (Via London)—A hostile airship at half past one o'clock this morning, dropped twelve bombs on the city of Strassburg, capital of Alsace-Lorraine.

Searchlights showed it disappearing in a northerly direction under bombardment of anti-aircraft guns.

Two persons in Strassburg were slightly wounded, otherwise no damage was done by the bombs from the airship.

PROSECUTIONS WILL FOLLOW

Columbus, April 17.—Henry Ballard, assistant attorney-general, returned today from Steubenville, where he has been investigating alleged irregular condition with the city administration there, and conferred a length with Governor Willis.

It was said at the governor's office prosecution of several Steubenville officials would be started soon.

Will Use Water To Christen Battleship

Phoenix, Ariz., April 17—Water instead of the customary champagne has been chosen by Governor Hunt as the christening fluid when the battleship Arizona is launched at the New York navy yard on June 19.

As Arizona is a dry state Governor Hunt said today he had selected water, taken from the first flow over the spillways of the great Roosevelt dam. Miss Esther Ross, aged 17, of Prescott, was appointed by Governor Hunt as sponsor.

3 KILLED IN MINE

Rodervield, W. Va., April 17.—Three men were killed in a mine of the Davy Pocahontas Coal company near here this morning, when a pocket of gas exploded by a shot. Only six of the 200 miners usually employed in the pit had gone to work today and they were clearing up their work when the shot was fired.

OBSERVE ANNIVERSARY

San Francisco, Cal., April 17.—San Francisco began today a six days celebration of the anniversary tomorrow of the fire which destroyed the city in 1906.

I just wanta call your attention t' how well I've got this weather dope goin' again in these parts. Bright sunshine every day and th' grass and buds a comin' like sixty. I tell you it's great t' be a weather man and have nothin' t' do but just keep your eye on th' growin' things, turn on th' heat, water, etc. when needed and sort o' oversee th' welfare o' th' whole community. It's great. Here's for tomorrow:

Ohio—Fair tonight and Sunday; frost tonight. Rising temperature Sunday.

Kentucky—Fair tonight and Sunday; rising temperatuers Sunday.

West Virginia—Fair tonight and Sunday; frost tonight; rising temperature Sunday.

EXCELSIOR TURNS DOWN BIG ORDER

Had Chance To Get Order For A Million And A Half Pairs

Because they figured that the order was too large for them to handle just now inasmuch as the shoes had to be ready for shipment by a specified time, the Excelsior Shoe Company was compelled to turn down an order for a million and a half pairs of shoes from the French government, this announcement being officially made Saturday by John E. Williams, general manager of this firm.

"We are unable to successfully handle an order so large as this in so short a time and reluctantly had to turn it down. We are still dickering for one that we can handle in our local factory and in the branch plant at Ironton and hope to land it most any day. While James W. Bannon, Jr., came home from New York today, Grant Williams remained on the job in New York and we may learn at any time that our firm has succeeded in getting an order that we can fill without overtaxing the plant" Mr. Williams said Saturday.

Compromised Case

Henry Huckle and George Belchers, principals in a civil action filed in Squire Byron's court, compromised the case out of court Saturday. Huckle sued Belcher for $55, alleged due on borrowed money. N. B. Gilliland represented the plaintiff, and F. L. Sikes the defendant.

Has Job In Cincinnati

Hugh O'Brien, who recently resigned his position as chef at the Findeis Cafe, left Saturday to spend a week with friends near Gephart's Station before leaving for Cincinnati to take his new position.

Was Visitor In The City

R. M. Briner of Quincy, Ky., who is a candidate for the Republican nomination for state senator in the thirty-first district, comprising Lewis and Mason counties, was in the city, Saturday.

Van Gorder To Preach

John Van Gorder of the local post office force will conduct services at the Wheelersburg Baptist church Sunday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock.

In Cincinnati.

Judge Milner was in Cincinnati, Saturday, on legal business.

4% on Savings

SAVE

"Desire is the forerunner of accomplishment." If you want to travel along Prosperity Road and arrive, then desire must be followed by action.

Saving is the first step to take—saving and depositing the savings in this safe institution.

'Savings Saved Safely'

The ROYAL SAVINGS AND LOAN CO.
819 Gallia Street

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Fine Trip, What Luck?

James Smith, barber at the William Brammer shop on Waller street, returned home Saturday from a week's fishing trip near Lawshee, Adams county.

LOCAL LADS WON GAME

A baseball nine composed of Portsmouth high school students defeated Wheelersburg H. S. in the first game of a double header at Wheelersburg Saturday afternoon by a score of 16 to 8. Paul Gable twirled for the locals.

Goes Home To Recuperate

Mrs. Charles Morrison of Fifth street, who recently underwent a surgical operation at Hempstead hospital left over the B. & O. S. W. Saturday for her former home at Swift, Ohio, to recuperate. She was accompanied by her father.

Go To It, Kiddies

Carl Littner, John Blevins and John Spangler have rigged up a miniature sand tipple in the Bussler homestead yard at Second and Madison streets and are now the envy of all other boys of that neighborhood.

A Busy Corner.

The city is considering the advisability of removing the public watering trough at Gay and Gallia streets to a more secluded place. Alex M. Glockner has again been notified to cease congesting the street adjacent to his hardware store.

Sells Team.

Thomas Haley sold a team of fine mares to Thos. Allen, of Wheelersburg, Saturday.

Mrs. William Brandle of Fourth street, has practically recovered from her recent illness.

Supt. John Addis of the county infirmary was called to Gallia county Saturday by the serious illness of his aged father, Thos. Addis, who is suffering with pneumonia.

Business Visitor.

H. Clay Barner, prominent Pike county farmer, near Sargents, was a business visitor here Saturday.

No License.

Complaint was made to the police Saturday that Geo. Swickert was operating a jitney bus without a license.

Alice, baby daughter of Undertaker Louis Snyder, of Wheelersburg, is critically ill.

Shakespeare's Wise Advice.

The friends thou hast, and their adoption tried, grapple them to thy soul with hoops of steel.—Shakespeare.

Family Racket.

Complaint was made to the police that there was a family racket at the Filmore home on New Eighth street Friay afternoon.

PE-RU-NA

Safe Catarrh Remedy

Composed of pure vegetable remedies. No harmful or habit-forming drugs. For many years it has been the family medicine in numberless homes.

READ—Mrs. Maria Goertz, Box 42, Orienta, Oklahoma, says: "My husband, children and myself use Peruna. We always keep it in the house in case of necessity. It has done remarkable things for us."

Mr. Samuel Rossi, 612 Chestnut Ave., Vineland, N. J., says: "I will never be without Peruna in my house. I am pleased to make public the good that Peruna has done us."

Goes West To Marry Brother, Falls A Victim To Dan Cupid

When Rev. A. B. Johnson, pastor of the Sciotoville M. E. church left Sciotoville three weeks ago for North Dakota to solemnize the wedding of his brother, he kept carefully concealed from his friends the fact that he, too, was about to fall a victim to Cupid's dart.

His housekeeper, Mrs. Hunt, received announcement Friday of his marriage on April 14 to Miss Geneva Turner, at Hebron, Lake county, Ind. Rev. Johnson is 31 and his bridge is 25 years old.

Rev. Johnson is the son of Mr. Hebron, while his bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Turner, prominent residents of that community. They were in Delaware, O., Friday, and are expected home tonight.

PRESENTED PLAYLET

The playlet, "A Scene in a Union Depot," given by the members of the Ladies' Aid society of the Wheelersburg M. E. church, in Hacquard's hall Friday evening, was a decided success. Several selections by the Wheelersburg High School Quartet were greatly enjoyed. The proceds will go towards paying off the parsonage debt. Following is the cast of characters:

CAST OF CHARACTERS.

Boot-black ..... Frank Rolf
Mrs. Snyder and Daughter .....
.....Mrs. Belford, Gladys McClave
Ticket Agent ..... Mr. Shela
Depot Master ..... Bert Janis
Woman at Lunch Counter .....
..... Mrs. Duduit
Mrs. Larkins...Mrs. M. T. Mackay
Miss Sophia Piper, Marjorie Makoy
Mr. Jones ..... Bert Jones
Woman and Baby.....Mrs. Rock
Uncle John .....Roy McClave
Josink and Nancy.....
..Merritt Rolf, Mrs. M. E. Makoy
Mr. Armstrong ..... Mr. Corbin
Mrs. Hummer ..... Mrs. Duis
Mr. and Mrs. Martindale .....
..... Roy McClave, Effie Reif
Bride and Groom .....
.....Wells Ketter, Mrs. Turner
Father of Cassy and Jupy.....
..... Mr. Corbin
Cassy ..... Helen McClave
Jupy ..... Clarence Jenett
Mr. White ..... Clifford Dold
George ..... Herman Busler
Lily ..... Mrs. M. F. Makoy
Lizzie ..... Norm Adams
Harold and Flossie...Brant Makoy
Mrs. Lantor ..... Mrs. Shela
Dot ..... Mrs. Hudson
Bess ..... Grace Ketter
Wix ..... Josie Rolf
Mrs. Brown and Johnny .....
.....Mrs. Hudson and Fred Ach
College Quartette..Mr. Smith, Mac Sowers, Chester Reed, Will Ranchahous.

Sprains Ankle

Howard Minford, Fourth street, suffered a sprained ankle when he stepped off a street car at 4th and Chillicothe streets Saturday morning.

Mr. Gillilan Is Home

Harry Gillilan, Ohio representative for the Brown Shoe company of St. Louis, arrived home Friday evening from a two week's trip.

Vent To Columbus

Charles Tracy, clerk in the local postoffice, has gone to Columbus on a few days business trip.

To Leave On Monday

Harry Ault leaves Monday for Worcester, Mass., to take a position with the Norton Grinding company of that city.

MATHIOTT BLOCK IN NEW HANDS

Through a deal closed Saturday by J. E. Shump, Mrs. Lexie Crabtree of Columbus, came into possession of Harry W. Mathiott's two story business block, 1117 Gallia street. A deal for the stock of shoes carried by Mr. Mathiott is pending and if closed Mrs. Crabtree will take charge of the building and store.

The building was erected a little over a year ago and is modern in every respect. Mr. Mathiott who has been engaged in the retail shoe business here for eight years stated Saturday that he had no plans for the future.

Mrs. Lexie Crabtree is the wife of C. A. Crabtree, a well known local real estate agent.

Falls Off Train

A man, who said his name was Frank Larcamp and that his home was back of Maysville, fell off a C. & O. freight train as it neared Fullerton Saturday afternoon. He suffered a broken arm and was cut about the head. He narrowly escaped being thrown beneath the wheels of the train.

Busy Week Ahead For Steel Employes

Next week will be another busy one in the big plant of the Whittaker-Glessner company in New Boston.

The operating schedule for next week includes the open hearth department, blooming mill, sheet mills, jobbing mills, 18 and 24 inch bar mills and the galvanizing department.

Hayden Bush Is In Critical Condition

Hayden Bush, who has been so seriously ill in the Grant hospital in Columbus has been unconscious for the past 36 hours and one side of his body is paralyzed, according to word received Saturday by N. & W. employees who have been keeping in close touch with Bush's condition.

It was stated that his chances of recovery were exceedingly slender. Relatives are at the bedside.

Revival To Close

Rev. G. A. Beers, evangelist will conclude a two weeks' revival at Kendall avenue Baptist church Sunday evening. Services begin at 7 o'clock sharp. Special music by the church band.

NEW MANAGER IN CHARGE

C. P. Miller, salesman for the Wear-U-Well Shoe company, who works out of Columbus, has taken charge of the Wear-U-Well store on Chillicothe street, taking the place of Will Ellison, of this city.

Steel Out Of Danger

Albert Steel, who was hurt at the plant of the Portsmouth Panel and Veneer company Thursday, is resting easily and is considered out of danger.

Buys Ford Runabout

General Superintendent A. J. McFarland, of the Whittaker-Glessner Stel company, has sold his Ford runabout to William Bolles, of the cost department, of this firm.

Miss Brock Out Again

Miss Thelma Brock of Chillicothe and Eleventh streets, who had a bone in her ankle splintered several weeks ago is out again.

Prof. D. P. Pratt continues to improve slowly from his recent illness at his home, 513 Fourth St.

DO IT NOW

Various contracting painters are preparing to submit bids for the contract of painting the city buildings.

Painters are re-decorating the Otto Lauffer and Marshal Distel cottages on Second street.

Landlord Clarence Hodge is renovating the interior of the Hotel Portsmouth by repainting and repapering the rooms and also putting down a few cement floors. Clarence Courtney is doing the painting and paper-hanging.

George Davis, former county treasurer, is having his home, 1135 Second street, repainted white.

No Light On Auto

Officer Henderson reported Friday night that E. C. McCoy's automobile, of Lincoln street, was standing on Gallia street without lights.

Called On Old Friend

J. E. Fowler, a draughtsman of the Jeffries Manufacturing company, of Columbus stopped over here Saturday and called on his schoolmate John Berry, a clerk at the Famous clothing store. Mr. Fowler has just returned from a trip to the Hawaii Island.

To Make Report

Elm Grove No. 65, Auxiliary to W. O. W., will meet in Brady hall Monday night. The members who are to take part in the play to be given the latter part of May are requested to be present. Mrs. Anna Hobstetter, delegate of Elm Grove, has returned from Toledo, where she attended a state convention of W. O. W. Auxiliaries.

Sister Dead In Huntington

A telegram was received at police headquarters from Huntington, W. Va., Saturday afternoon for Gertie Ray, of 913 Twelfth street, informing her of the death in that city of her sister, Emma Young.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Pitts, of Union street, are rejoicing over the arrival of a son the stork left at their home on Union street Friday afternoon.

A fine little son arrived Saturday morning in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Russell M. Anderson of Fifth and Brown streets. It is their first born. Mr. Anderson is a member of the well-known drygoods firm of Anderson Bros. company. Mrs. Anderson was formerly Miss Ruth Pontius of Fremont, O.

The stork bright and early Saturday morning visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hughes, of Gallia avenue, and left them a fine little boy. Mr. Hughes is a shoeworker.

To Live Apart

John Bush, colored barber, arrested Monday morning for wife-beating, was released Saturday afternoon on a suspended sentence in the Cincinnati workhouse. The court found, upon investigation, that there were extenuating circumstances. Bush and his wife have agreed to live apart.

No Danger Signal

Complaint was made to police Friday night that Glenn Rardin did not have a danger signal on a sand pile, Vinton and Young streets.

Ten Stands In Market

The market in Government square Saturday comprised ten stands, the best attendance since last fall.

Delivers Car Load Of Piggies

J. G. Fritz, one of the prosperous farmers of Dogwood Ridge, delivered a car load of hogs Friday to Henry Wedebrook, who conducts a meat market in the East End.

Roof Is Poured

Contractor James I. Barnes completed the task of pouring the roof for the new Lincoln school building Saturday. This structure will be ready for occupancy September 1.

Mr. Lorberg Opens Office

Henry Lorberg has opened an office in the Masonic Temple and will carry on a National advertising business.

Mrs. Caroline Egbert's home at 1005 Offnere street is being repainted.

GEORGE PFEIFFER
Undertaker & Funeral Director
Lady Assistant
Home Phone 211. Bell Phone 334 R.
723 Chillicothe St.

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Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey

PURITY AND HEALTH

The majority of diseases are the result of malnutrition, or poorly fed bodies, caused by the stomach improperly performing its duties; hence the system does not derive the full benefit it should from the food taken by the individual.

Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey being an all liquid food, distilled absolutely from malted grain, containing nothing but the very soul of the grain, is ideal for the purpose of rebuilding the system. Taken in tablespoon doses in an equal amount of water just before meals, it assists in keeping healthy the essential function of digestion because it induces activity in the flow of gastric juices so the food you eat will digest naturally. Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey is a dependable medicine for emergencies and should be in every home. Get it today.

"Get Duffy's and Keep Well"

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NOTE—Get Duffy's from your local druggist, grocer or dealer. If he cannot supply you, write us we will tell you where to get it. Medical booklet free.

The Duffy Malt Whiskey Co., Rochester, N. Y.

Voracious Adjutant Bird.

The adjutant, or marabou, a bird of India of the stork species, will swallow a hare or a cat whole. It stands five feet high and the expanse of its wings is nearly fifteen feet.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Louisa Grimes Peck

The funeral of the late Mrs. Louisa Grimes Peck, who died Thursday at the home of her sister in Cincinnati, was held Saturday afternoon from the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Bridges, Sixth and Washington streets, this afternoon. The services were in charge of Rev. E. A. Powell, rector of All Saints church, followed by interment in Greenlawn.

Mrs. M. L. Bonner

Word reached Portsmouth today of the death of Mrs. W. L. Bonner, of near Mt. Joy, which occurred Saturday morning, after a linger illness with Bright's disease. The family is well known in this city. John Shannon, prominent farmer of near Mt. Joy, is a brother of the deceased. The funeral arrangements have not been decided upon.

Alonzo Webb

Alonzo Webb, aged 14 years, a pupil of the Campbell avenue school, died at the home of his grand parents, John and Mary P. Webb of No. 2309 Plum street, Saturday morning about 5 o'clock after a two weeks' illness with typhoid fever. He is survived by his father Amaziah Webb, of Columbus and one brother, Hoyt Webb. No arrangements have as yet been made for the funeral.

Burial At South Webster

The remains of Oliver Young, who died at his home on Lawson street Friday, will be taken to his former home in South Webster Monday afternoon for burial.

Mrs. Nellie Spears

Death at 7 o'clock Saturday morning claimed Mrs. Nellie Spears wife of Floyd Spears of Wheelersburg. She had been ill with nervousness for several weeks, but the immediate cause of death was heart trouble.

Mrs. Spears in addition to her husband leaves six children, Murl, Harry, William, Fred, Ralph and Carey. She also leaves her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hammon, of 1841 Eighth street this city, and two sisters, Mrs. L. G. Purtee, of Oklahoma City and Miss Ruth Hammon at home.

The funeral will be held from the home at two o'clock Monday with Rev. Greene Willis of the Baptist church in charge. Interment in Wheelersburg cemetery.

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W. S. Mauns

Mr. and Mrs. Walter N. Schaffstall, 715 Eighth street, were called to Cincinnati Saturday morning by the death of the latter's father, W. S. Mauns, aged 51 years, who has been ill for soe time. Mr. Schaffstall is employed as efficiency man at the Selby Shoe company's office.

Body Arrives

The body of Dewey M. Davis, who died recently in Portland, Oregon, arrived here, Friday evening and was taken to the home of Mrs. Daisy Mathews, 721 Eleventh street. Funeral services Monday afternoon, interment in Greenlawn.

Mrs. John Deener

Mrs. John Deener, aged 65 years, died at her home in the Swan Tract, near Rushtown, Friday evening after a few days' illness with pneumonia.

Mrs. Deener was the widow of a well-known farmer who died last October, and was one of the most respected women of that neighborhood. Her maiden name was Bennett. She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Stella Heher, wife of Michael Heher, and three sons, McKinster, Wesley and Stanley Deener. She also leaves an only sister, Mrs. Wesley Brown, of Stockdale. The funeral will take place at Rutchtown, Monday.

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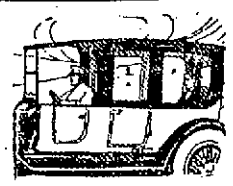
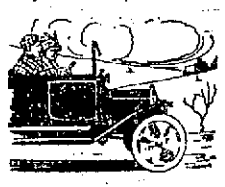


The Dream

James Jones, twenty-five, in good health and spirits, with a fair position, a wife and baby—dreamed.

In his dreams he saw riches come rapidly. Among other things an automobile entered his mind—a limousine, large and luxurious.

But though thrifty and successful, time dragged on and a limousine was still far away—still in dreams.



SEVERAL good used cars, including Hudson, Cadillac, Ohio, Paige and Ford; overhauled and repainted; no reasonable offer refused.

The Reality

In the "Want" Ads of his favorite paper one day he saw an ad—an automobile ad. It told of a good well-preserved car of late model and well-known make.

Investigation developed the fact that it could be bought for small cost and maintained at a cost within his reach.

James Jones now rides in his Times "Want" Ad automobile and Times "Want" Ads have made the practical part of his dream come true.

FOR MEMORIAL DAY

We have a large assortment of various styles of granite and marble memorials for Decoration Day. Special inducements in prices for delivery before that time. Orders must be in early.

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ROBBERS ARE BLAMED FOR BIG FIRE AT QUINCY

ENTIRE VILLAGE TURNED OUT TO FIGHT FLAMES

Robbers attempting to cover up their crime are believed to have been responsible for the fire which completely destroyed the large general store and two story family home of Merchant Jesse L. Scott at Quincy, Ky., 10 miles below Portsmouth Friday night.

A strange ladder, which had not yet been identified by Saturday morning and which was resting against a raised window of the upper story of the building was tell-tale evidence of what had happened. The fact that there had been no stove fires in the building and that everything was in perfect order at the time of closing strengthened the suspicion that the fire which broke out at midnight was of incendiary origin and that the store had been previously looted.

Family Aroused By The Heat

The discovery of the fire was made by members of the Scott family who were aroused from their sleep by the heat and noises from the seething furnace into which the interior of the store had been transformed. The flames soon communicated to the home which stood but five feet away from the burning store and the family had barely time to escape in their night clothes and save a few household effects.

Loss Is A Big One

The store and home were reduced to ashes and Mr. Scott's loss is estimated at from $8,000 to $10,000. He carried but $4,500 insurance. For a time the fire threatened to spread to the J. E. Lowder and James Chapman homes nearby. Had it reached the latter fully a half dozen more homes would have been at the mercy of the flames. The entire village populace was out fighting the conflagration the bucket brigade securing its supply of water from wells and due to its heroic efforts the fire had spent its force by 2 o'clock Saturday morning.

The fire has caused much excitement at Quincy and it is thought that county authorities have already been appealed to for an investigation though interested parties were keeping mum on the subject.

CONTRADICTORY CLAIMS MADE OF THE RESULTS ACCOMPLISHED BY RAIDS

London, April 17—The allies on one side and Germany on the other, are today taking inventories of the injuries inflicted by the recent aerial operations, and with the usual contradictory results.

The attackers claim that their assaults from the air have resulted in the destruction of military transport and equipment, while the defenders report that the only tangible effects of the operations have been casualties to civilians and slight damage to property.

The people of England, under the influence of their recent experiences, are today looking for a repetition of an aerial attack from German Zeppelins or Taubes. Up to noon no such fresh occurrence had been reported.

Weather conditions seem to be the chief cause of the present halted operations in the Carpathians.

Says The Russian Offensive Was Checked

A report of the Associated Press correspondent with the Austrian forces reviewing the situation, declares that the Russian offensive was checked after debauching on the plains on the Hungarian side of Lupkow Pass and straightening out the Austrian wedge which had been driven into the Russian line near Uzzok Pass.

The claim is made that the Russians suffered fearful losses in making their supreme effort to gain the Hungarian plains, the casualties being particularly heavy among the noble-born officers of crack regiments.

In any event it is the opinion of British observers that whatever else may be retarding the Russians, flooded streams and impassable roads in the Carpathians are ample reasons for the present delay.

Activities Resumed By The Allied Fleet

With news of the resumption of activity by the Allied fleet off the Dardanelles, comes a report that the Grecian Press is given the impression of a possible modification of the present policy of Greece.

The British colonial office has issued an official report claiming victory for an invading British Indian force over the Turks in Mesopotamia.

On the western front signs are growing that the Germans may anticipate the long-predicted general Allied offensive, but actual operations seem to have relapsed into the status of mid-winter quiet.

EGYPTIAN TOWN IS SHELLED

Paris, April 17—The ministry of Marine today gave out an official communication reading:

"During the day of April 16, a French cruiser, supporting a reconnaissance made by aeroplanes, effectively bombarded the fortifications of El Arijsh, a fortified town in Egypt, near the boundary of Egypt and Palestine, as well as certain detachments of Turkish troops which had concentrated near El 'Arish."

Political Announcements

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PENNSY R. R. TO SPEND TWENTY MILLION FOR LOCOMOTIVES AND CARS

Philadelphia, April 17.—The Pennsylvania railroad will go into the market today for approximately $20,000,000 of new equipment for new material for cars and locomotives which it will build in its own shops. The equipment program includes 144 new locomotives, 146 all steel passenger cars and about 10,000 freight cars. All the locomotives, 56 of the passenger cars and 2102 of the freight cars, will be built at the company's shops at Altoona.

BLIND THREE YEARS, ENDS HIS LIFE

Canton, April 17—Andrew Wieland, 70, former deputy sheriff and long a member of the police force, committed suicide by shooting himself today. He had been blind three years and had placed hope of relief in a recent operation but was told by specialists a few days ago that he would never regain his sight.

He had since been very despondent.

ON LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Tokio, Japan, April 17—Geo. W. Guthrie, the American ambassador to Japan, accompanied by Mrs. Guthrie, left Yokahoma today for the U. S. on board the steamer Manchuria. He is on a leave of absence.

Glaciers Shrinking Away.

All of Switzerland's glaciers are receding perceptibly, one notable one having shrunk more than one thousand feet in the last ten years.

BELIEF GENERAL THAT AUSTRIA WILL MAKE ATTACK UPON ITALY

Paris, April 17—The belief is becoming general in Rome that Austria will make a sudden attack upon Italy as soon as she becomes convinced that the latter country has determined to intervene in the war, according to a dispatch to the Matin from its correspondent in the Italian Capital.

This prospect is said to be causing no alarm, however, because of the concentration of large forces of Italian troops on the Austrian frontier.

Turkish Diplomat Says Italy Will Remain Neutral

Rome, April 16—(via Paris April 17)—"I am convinced that Italy will remain neutral," was a statement made to the Idea Nazionale by Cerasso Effendi, member of the Turkish Chamber of Deputies who has been in Italy on a mission for his government, on the eve of his departure from Rome for Constantinople. He declared he had gained this impression after interviews with various Italian statesmen.

"Until yesterday," he said, "this was a simple impression, but today I consider it a certainty. I feel a sincere joy in knowing that your country will be spared the horrors of war."

Take Action To Prevent Trade In Contraband

Milan—(via Paris) April 17—Drastic steps are being taken by the Italian government to prevent trade in contraband articles being carried on with Austria, according to the newspaper Secolo, which asserts that 500 persons were arrested on Friday while attempting to smuggle flour, rice and spaghetti across the frontier.

BOMBS FROM AEROPLANES KILL SEVEN, WOUND EIGHT

Amiens, France, April 17—Seven persons were killed and eight were wounded by bombs dropped by two German aeroplanes which flew over this city yesterday, one in the morning and one in the evening. The cathedral apparently was the target of the missiles, but it was not damaged.

The first aircraft appeared at 6:05 a. m. and dropped five bombs. The explosions of the projectiles were fatal to four women and two men, while seven other persons were injured, including two soldiers guarding the railroad station. The property damage was trivial.

The second aeroplane appeared over the city at five p. m. One of the bombs dropped from it demolished a house, decapitating a woman seated in the parlor, and injuring another woman.

Denies Charges

Editor Times:

I wish to inform my friends through the Daily Times that the accusations against me by one Arthur Smalley, is a malicious lie, with absolutely no foundations whatever.

SAMUEL R. JONES.

Fertilizer at Stahler's. adv 15-3

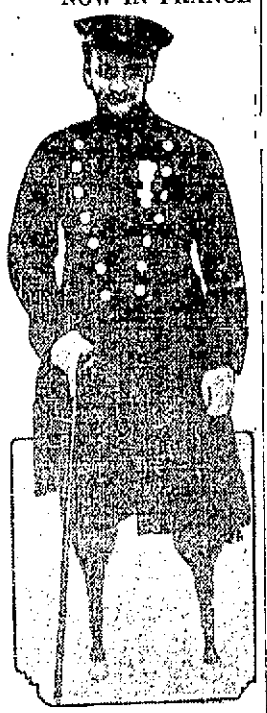
Causes of Unhappiness.

The worst kinds of unhappiness, as well as the greatest amount of it, come from our conduct to each other. If our conduct, therefore, were under the control of kindness, it would be nearly the opposite of what it is, and so the state of the world would be almost reversed. We are for the most part unhappy, because the world is an unkind world. But the world is only unkind for the lack of kindness in us units who compose it.—Frederick William Faber.

Highland Tartans.

In the old days it was only the Highlanders that had tartans for the clan. Later the people settling near the border, who were known as the Lowlanders, adopted the tartans and invented some of their own. Most of the historians writing of tartans disregard those of the border clans.

A COMMON SIGHT NOW IN FRANCE



Jean Cauyolle.

Europe is full of men like Jean Cauyolle, the French soldier who lost both legs in the war and has a medal to show for his bravery. Cauyolle took part in the battles of Altkirch, Namur, Charleroi and Champagne. In the last named action he lost both his legs and though still ful lof the fighting spirit is unable to return to the front.

Red Cross Units And Supplies To Belgium

New York, April 17—The American line steamship St. Louis, sailing today for Liverpool, carried four surgeons and 24 nurses composing, with two additional surgeons to join them in England, two complete red cross field ships. These units are to be attached to the Belgian army and stationed at La Panne.

A red cross consignment of cotton, bandages, anti-toxin and surgical instruments valued at $50,00 also goes to Belgium on the St. Louis.

Everything for the farmer at Stahler's. adv 15 3

Led By Cupid

A marriage license was issued Saturday to Henry V. Williams, 34, laborer, of McDermott and Sylvia Lutz, 21, of Henley. They are to be married by A. J. Miller, justice of the peace of the West Side.

ALSPAUGH

for a fine Davenport. adv 13tf

Reduced Prices On New Spring Coats and Suits

All $27.50 to $30.00 Suits reduced to $22.50
All $25.00 Suits reduced to $19.25
All $20.00 Suits reduced to $15.00
All $15.00 Suits reduced to $11.50
$32.50 to $35.00 Rampoer Chuddah Suits for $26.50
All $10.00 Coats for $7.50
All $14.00 to $15.00 Coats for $11.25
All $17.50 Coats for $14.00
All $18.50 to $20.00 Coats for $15.00

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HENLEY

Misses Bessie Euton and Maud Beading, of Otway, spent Sunday with Miss Emma Euton.

Edna Beltz was calling on Helen Thornton Wednesday.

Bell Beltz made a flying trip to Portsmouth Thursday.

Jerry Brown is plowing for Uncle Levi Shope.

The stork visited Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Jones last week and left a fine boy.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Shope were visiting their son at McDermott, Wednesday.

Mary Foose was visiting home folks Thursday.

Mrs. E. A. O'Brien and daughter Florence, made a business trip to Portsmouth Tuesday.

Misses Anna Knittle and Florence Wills, of Pleasant Hill, attended the ball game here Sunday.

Mrs. L. Scott was calling on Mrs. J. W. Shope Thursday.

August Redouty was visiting friends here Sunday.

A large crowd attended church here Thursday.

Mrs. Ella Crowe, of Cincinnati, spent a few days with her father, J. W. O'Brien.

P. H. ball team played Flats' team on Henley diamond Sunday. Pleasant Hill won the game again, but have not scared the Flats out yet, as the same teams are going to play on Henley diamond next Sunday.

Panama Canal.

The Panama canal route shortens the sea journey between New York and the west coast of the United States by more than eight thousand miles.

Garden Hose that won't kink. Walters Plumbing Co. adv

SAGE TEA PUTS LIFE AND COLOR IN HAIR

Don't stay gray! Sage Tea and Sulphur darkens hair so naturally that nobody can tell.

You can turn gray, faded hair beautifully dark and lustrous almost over night if you'll get a 50 cent bottle of "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound" at any drug store. Millions of bottles of this old, famous Sage Tea Recipe are sold annually, says a well-known druggist here, because it darkens the hair so naturally and evenly that no one can tell it has been applied.

Those whose hair is turning gray, becoming faded, dry, scraggly and thin have a surprise awaiting them, because after one or two applications the gray hair vanishes and your locks become luxuriantly dark and beautiful—all dandruff goes, scalp itching and falling hair stops.

This is the age of youth. Gray-haired, unattractive folks aren't wanted around, so get busy with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur to-night and you'll be delighted with your dark, handsome hair and your youthful appearance within a few days.

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ALL TANGLED UP.

The maddest and most disappointed people in the state are the coal operators. This gentry was more than hostile to Jim Cox for urging the passage of the screen law; it was simply murderous. During the campaign it tied up check by jowl with Frank Willis and on election day it delivered the goods, Cox meeting with the usual fate of the official who does something for a particular class-slaughter by the votes of the miners.

The operators expected something from Willis in return, no matter upon what ground, they expected. This expectation was concentrated in a measure that practically meant the repeal of the coal screen law. It was sent through the senate like it was greased and its passageway through the house was smoothed and oiled. Suddenly something happened. The house faced 'round and fairly massacred the measure. The reason: It was whispered that the thing must not be allowed to get up to the Governor. He would either have to fish or cut bait on it. If he approved it union labor would be howling at his heels; if he didn't approve it the mine operators would set "the interests" at him and in either event some fine presidential dreams would go to smash. It has come to pass, however, as was inevitable, that the operators learned not only what hit, but who threw the brick and the most uncomfortable man right now in Columbus is one Frank Bancroft Willis, who finds a straddle always means a dump for the straddler.

GIVING STRAIGHT GOODS.

It is all too frequently said and too commonly believed that Americans are a nation of cheats and grafters, especially when it comes to dealing with government. It is singular that the most violent rebuke to this malignment should come out of the European war, as it does.

As we know, the Germans are nothing of not methodical and thorough. They have been making investigation of the ratio and cause of casualties and they claim that eighty per cent of their wounded are the victims of American projectiles. They do not find the Allies are using eighty per cent of American munitions, but they figure a higher efficiency or destructiveness in American explosives. In other words, only ten per cent of American made shells fail to explode, while of the French make as high as sixty per cent are "misefires." It may not be to the credit of this country that we are furnishers, in a large measure, to the neutrals, or at least one side of them, of their most destructive agencies, but it does speak well for the honesty and honor of our industries, that "where any old thing would go", they are furnishing to an exact degree the quality of goods contracted for.

In another way this condition is solacing to us. The alarmist and the fellow with some ax to grind is continually complaining America is not prepared for war. Here we have absolute assurance that we are prepared, better by far even than the countries that boast they are always ready for trouble. And finding it just because they think themselves best prepared.

DON'T GET HUFFY.

(Lisbon Journal.)

It don't pay to get "huffy" at a newspaper. There may come a time when you'll need it.

WHEN HE GREW UP.

(Atchison Globe.)

It is sad to think that the boy with a poetical name and long curls may grow up, raise whiskers and chew fineent.

AN IMPAIRED LIVER.

(Toledo Blade.)

There must be something the matter with the liver of a wealthy man who can sit down with his face towards the lengthening shadows of life and dictate a will that puts matrimony out of reach of his heirs.

Now, there it is. We took the word of the morning twinkler for it that Tommy Patterson was going to run for city treasurer, supposing if it could get anything straight it would be about some Republican and a job, as that seems to be the sole aim and lust of its existence. But here comes the aforesaid Tommy and vows he is a candidate for county treasurer, not city treasurer. May be Tommy knows this time what he wants.

Farm lands in Scioto county are a promising investment.

WHEN THESE DAYS ARE ANCIENT HISTORY

REBUILDING THE NATIONAL ROAD.

(Hagerstown Mail.)

The old National road and along which many beautiful country seats have been established, now through here, was extended westwardly through four states and into Illinois, over 600 miles. It was not, in its early days, comparable in stretches to the Appian way, or the modern boulevard, or brick pike, or concrete roadway, but it served a great purpose and helped to bind the states together. Being a straight line between many important centres, and having a historical interest, it has become a permanent highway. It is natural, therefore, in the later years, that the counties and states through which it passes are rebuilding it with a permanent surface. At its western terminus it has been extended, and now practically it is a highway across the continent.

The National Highway Association is ambitious to see every mile of this road in good condition. Through many states mile posts of uniform style and permanency have been erected. And this year a party, led by the association, will traverse the whole line of the road. Historical pageants are to be held, and Richmond is already contemplating a big celebration for Eastern Indiana, Indianapolis and the rest of the states interested should of course, do their part toward the further development of this highway. Good roads are a mark of civilization.

To be sure if anyone wants to give to the Belgian relief fund, that's his privilege, with none to say him nay. At the same time there are other war funds and other war sufferers.

Perhaps, the Peerless was a trifle slow in getting the jitney habit, but she has got it now, and bad at that.

Billy Sunday has many a fine thing to say for the newspapers, these days. That shows his real quality. Most fellows forget what made them, once they get there.

Don't say it is Bryan stirring up this prohibition mess in the Democratic party. It is the other fellows that make such a hullabaloo every time he says anything that are making all the noise.

The Cubans like the American game of pugilism well enough, but they have scant fancy for Americans. Which is just a reminder that as a race we seem to have the most winning ways to make us despised in the foreign lands we inflict with our presence.

There is some mockery in the fact that ninety-seven of the biggest factories in the state have asked the Republican legislature to quit and go home without doing anything. In other words it's a prayer of deliverance from fool friends.

Just because Ironton has, or did have its dope joint, like New York, that is no reason why the up-river village should boast of metropolitan proportions.

Now Passing Cards Around

S. Anselm Skelton, popular young attorney, started circulating his cards announcing his candidacy for the Republican nomination for city solicitor Saturday morning. He claims to have already received assurances of support that will make him a formidable candidate.

Don't go home without a bottle of "Allen's Cough Balsam," as you may need it today for a Cough or Cold that has developed since you were last at home.

Conferred Degree

Calvary Commandery, No. 13, conferred the Order of the Temple upon two candidates, Scott J. McDermott, of McDermott, and H. C. Mosely, of this city, Friday evening, before a large gathering of Sir Knights. Monday evening April 26, is the date of the annual inspection of the commandery and great preparations are being made for the event. Some of the most distinguished Sir Knights in the state will be in attendance.

Garden and field seeds at Stahler's. adv 15-3

The city beautiful is a thing ever to be desired and always to be struggled for.

Cincinnati has a great ball club. Whether it can win more than once in awhile is another question.

Quite naturally Harmon objects to being quoted by Willis in his own defense.

The oracular Chicago News observes that an ugly baby is something no mother ever possessed.

And may be after it is Tommy that doesn't know what he is going to run for. Cort, though, he will run for something.

DOC KOKO'S COLUMN

"In The Spring"

The days of cleaning house have come,
The maddest of the year,
When everything is upside down
And scattered far and near.
My meals are but a mere excuse;
My wife has grown a shrew,
The clothes I want are on the line;
My books the basement strew.

Each day, each week throughout the year
This house is garnished bright;
But when spring comes, my wife declares
The dirt germs are a fright.
And then she gets her pails and mops,
Her brooms and soap galore,
And life becomes for days untold
A nightmare and a bore!
—Lida Keck Wiggins in Judge.

How Did She Do It?

"Lying prone, she elevated her feet in the air, clapping her heels together."—(From The Turmoil).

No Such Animal

A sweet young thing asks:
"What should a girl do when she has found her ideal man?"
Do? Do nothing! There ain't no such animal!—New Castle Herald.

Signs of Spring

The jonquils blossom day by day,
Girls have new hats;
The larks give voice to roundelay,
So do the cats.

We notice signs of spring galore,
The boughs all bud;
The robins have returned once more,
So has the mud.
—Charleston Gazette.

Jolt to Romance

"You saw Venice, of course."
"We did."
"Did you go out in one of those highly romantic gondolas?"
"Yes; but that trip was spoiled for me."
"How so?"
"Our gondolier wore a derby hat.

A Fashionable Trial

"When does her trial take place?"
"Next week."
"Going to attend?" Why she has asked me to be maid of honor.

No Nice Editor Would

A young woman in the journalism class at K. U. was asked how she would go about it to get the news of a fire in a distant part of town, late at night, after the street cars had stopped running. "Well," she replied, "I suppose I'd have to call a taxi and go to the thing, but, personally, I don't think any editor who is a gentleman would make a girl go to a fire at such a time in the night."—Kansas City Star.

The Scant Garment

Women should remember that the scant garment always encourages the immoral men. ---- Zanesville Times-Recorder.

Not The Real Way

We don't suppose it would make a bowlegged girl perfectly happy about it to take her by the hand and assure her that her soul is just as white as anybody's.—Ohio State Journal.

What He Looked Like

"From the way you are staring at me, madam. I conclude I look like someone you know."

Animal Jingles
FOR LITTLE FOLKS
ALICE CREW GALL

ANIMAL SCHOOL

On the last day of school in Animal Town
The children sing songs and recite
The pieces they've learned, and their parents and friends
Applaud with the greatest delight.

Last time they did this 'twas a splendid affair;
The parents came dressed in their best
And all of the children behaved very well
And went through the program with zest.

"Before we speak pieces," said Schoolmaster Crab,
As he rapped on his desk with a stick,
"We'll just show your parents how wonderfully well
You manage Arithmetic.

"Give me the right answer," said Schoolmaster Crab,
"How many are thirteen and two?"
Then Adeline Adder said, "Fifteen!" right quick,
And Professor Crab said, "Very True."

"And now we'll have Mew-sic by Caroline Cat,"
Remarked the Professor, "and then
You will be entertained by a beautiful lay,
To be rendered by Harriet Hen."

And when this was over young Daniel Dog read
Some splendid original verse;
His proud friends remarked, "It was good doggerel,
We've really heard very much worse."

There were many more things that those Animals did
That I haven't time to repeat,
And to finish the program, Professor Crab gave
The Animal children a treat.

Then finally the parents and children went home,
And Professor Crab shook his old head.
"Though they are a handful, I'll really be glad
When they come back next year," he said.

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"So you do. You remind me so much of my dear old English bull terrier."—Baltimore American.

Going Up

Ladies' skirts are getting shorter;
They will reach the limit soon,
At the present rate they oughter
Be about knee-deep in June.
—Springfield Union.

No, Not That

Lots of fool married men will let a manicure girl hold their hands for half an hour, but some of them are smart enough to grab up a handful of dirt and soil their nails before they go home. A woman likes to see her husband keep clean, but she draws the line at manicuring.—New Castle News.

Our Ideas

Of nothing to eat—a Charlotte Russe.
Of nothing to wear—a fish-net union suit.
Of nothing to enter—an argument.
Of nothing to drink—bouillon.
Of nothing to wipe on—a paper napkin.
Of nothing to talk about—grand opera.
Of nothing to adopt—a fuzzy poodle.
Of nothing to read—a popular magazine story.—Chicago Journal.

No Use To Try and Wear Out Your Cold It Will Wear You Out Instead

Thousands keep on suffering Coughs and Colds through neglect and delay. Why make yourself an easy prey to serious ailments and epidemics as the result of a neglected Cold? Coughs and Colds sap your strength and vitality unless checked in the early stages. Dr. King's New Discovery is what you need—the first dose helps. Your head clears up, you breathe freely and you feel better. Buy a bottle today and start taking at once.

When Foster & Hills say they will paint your house with white lead and linseed oil you will get that material, not a mixture called white lead and linseed oil. 648 Sixth St. Phone 152. O. D. Foster, 1834 Summit St. C. W. Hills, 624 Eighth St. Phone 1624 Y. adv 2tf

Man a Fighting Animal.

In the past 3,000 years it is estimated that the world has seen only 60 years of uninterrupted world-wide peace.

RECEIVERS SALE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned receivers for the Hansen Furniture company will receive sealed bids on and before April 20th, 1915, for the sale of the entire property of The Hansen Furniture Company. Bids will be received for the sale of the property as an entirety and going concern and also for the separate items of real estate, furniture and fixtures, and book accounts.

Information in regard to any of these may be had from the receivers at the office of the company, corner of Seventh and Chillicothe streets, Portsmouth, Ohio.

The receivers reserve the right to reject any and all bids and no sale can be made without the approval of the Court of Common Pleas.

Signed, JAMES R. DISTEL
HARRY BALL,
Receivers of The Hansen Furniture Company. 10-10t

STOP CATARRH! OPEN NOSTRILS AND HEAD

Says Cream Applied in Nostrils Relieves Head-Colds at Once.

If your nostrils are clogged and your head is stuffed and you can't breathe freely because of a cold or catarrh, just get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm at any drug store. Apply a little of this fragrant, antiseptic cream into your nostrils and let it penetrate through every air passage of your head, soothing and healing the inflamed, swollen mucous membrane and you get instant relief.

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IF KIDNEYS ACT BAD TAKE SALTS

Says Backache is a sign you have been eating too much meat, which forms uric acid.

When you wake up with backache and dull misery in the kidney region it generally means you have been eating too much meat, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid which overworks the kidneys in their effort to filter it from the blood and they become sort of paralyzed and loggy. When your kidneys get sluggish and clog you must relieve them, like you relieve your bowels; removing all the body's urinous waste, else you have backache, sick headache, dizzy spells; your stomach sours, tongue is coated, and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine is cloudy, full of sediment, channels often get sore, water scalds and you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night.

Either consult a good, reliable physician at once or get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate sluggish kidneys, also to neutralize acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder weakness.

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Regular meeting Solomon Council No. 79, Monday evening, April 19 at 7 o'clock.

Aurora Lodge No. 46 will confer Master Mason degree on several candidates. Work beginning at 2:30 p. m. Thursday, April 22. Supper at 6 o'clock. Visitors welcome.

WANTED

NOTICE:—Painting, paper hanging, wall paper cleaning. Al Reiniger, 1815 6th. Phone 1267 Y. 16tf

WANTED:—Carpets to clean. We make rugs out of old carpets. Portsmouth Carpet Cleaning Co., Revare & Klingman, Home phone 490. 5tf

NOTICE:—For prompt package delivery call De Berrienne truck. Phone 1394 A or 449 A. 30tf

WANTED:—3 boarders, 505 Court. Phone 1079 X. 2tf

WANTED:—Watches and clocks to repair. If we can't fix it nobody can. Try us and convince yourself. Phone 516 A. Work guaranteed, called for and delivered. Frank D. White, watchmaker. 9tf

WANTED:—Experienced middle aged lady for general housework, reference required. 1806 Hutchins. 15-3

WANTED: — Good incubator. Phone 1145-A. 15-3

WANTED:—General housework to do, in good family. Ruth Royse, 1404 Kinney. 14-3

WANTED:—Washing and ironing. 84 E. Grace St., New Boston. Phone B 451 15-3

WANTED:—First class carpenter wants work by contract. Satisfaction guaranteed. Address J. E. Marshall 815 10th St. 16-6

NOTICE:—To keep in health use Zuelke's home made wine. 533 2nd. 22c o d tf

WANTED:—Hides, roots, feathers of all kinds. M. Jacobs' Sons, now back at our old stand, Third and Chillicothe. 9-sat tf

WANTED:—Piano pupils. Lessons given at pupil's home. Mrs. A. G. Micka, 1324 9th, City. 14-4

GOVERNMENT POSITIONS—are easy to get. My free booklet Y 1385 tells how. Write today—NOW. Earl Hopkins, Washington, D. C. 6-8sat

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WANTED—1 3-16-inch shafting. Phone 1661 Y. 17-3

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WANTED:—Local and county agents for patented automobile accessory needed by every car owner. $4.00 commission on each sale. Car owners and repair men investigate. Chandler Sales Co. Chicago. 17-1

WANTED:—Two good girls at Colonial, one to cook and one for general housework. 620 5th Phone 463 Y. 17-3

WANTED:—Washing and housecleaning to do. Mrs. Harter, 843 3rd. 17-6

NOTICE:—Dressmaker, fancy dresses and suits, in families by the day. Cincinnati references. Mrs. Franks, 918 Waller St. 17-1

WANTED:—3 or 4 lady clerks, Monday. Call at Weber's shoe store. 17-1

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WANTED:—Wide awake agents are coining money with our easily demonstrated specialties. Write today for particulars and new catalog. The Windisch Mfg. Co., Dayton, O. 17-1

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WANTED:—Washing and house cleaning to do. 1747 7th. 17-3

WANTED—An energetic ambitious active man to establish permanent business. Health and accident insurance. Immediate cash returns and future. Address National Casualty Company Detroit, Mich. 17, 20, 22

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FOR SALE:—Well established shoe and men's furnishing store, 12 years location in the East End. Call phone 1225 Y 1824 Highland avenue. 14tf

FOR SALE:—Old brick. See G. H. Brawley. Phone 1049 B. 15-3

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FOR SALE:—Bargain, edition de Luxe Shakespeare's Complete Works, two volumes each, 15 inches long, 11 inches wide and 3 inches thick, 778 pages each, with 40 full page superb, illustrations, full index, copious notes, edited by Chas. Knight. Address C, 821 3rd. 13-5

FOR SALE:—6 room 2 story house, bath complete, extra large china closet, double pantry, two sets sliding doors, reception hall, open stairway, nice front porch, cabinet mantel, built for a home in a splendid location on Franklin avenue. Will consider a cottage in exchange. $3600. P. W. Kilcoyne, 1218 Grandview avenue, phone 1408-A. 15-4

FOR SALE:—Or trade for city property, all kinds of farms. Houses and lots in Portsmouth, Sciotoville and Long-Meadow. See W. H. Shonkwiler, Phone 1455 X. 2031 17th St. 5tf

FOR SALE:—Horse and buggy. 1729 Offnere St. 12tf

FOR SALE:—Grocery stock and fixtures in good location. Phone 305. 12-12

FOR SALE:—Cheap, one 8x10 Goerz Double Anastigmat lens. Interior or exterior. Good as new. Room 20 Turley Bldg. Phone 538. 16-2

FOR SALE:—Dining room table, six chairs china closet and sideboard. Mrs. M. H. Longfellow. 16-3

FOR SALE:—Lot 50x598, three room cottage, young orchard, chicken lane, 3 minutes walk from street car. $600. A. T. Combs, Sciotoville, O. 12-6

FOR SALE:—15 h. p. steam engine, good as new, bargain if sold at once. Mechanic Steam Laundry, 2026 Robinson. 9tf

FOR SALE:—Bargain, two cottages, one with three lots, the other with two lots, $950 each. Each house has large cistern. J. S. Rapp (Nauvoo). Phone 2902 A. Address R. D. No. 1, Portsmouth, O. 14-4

FOR SALE:—Fresh cow and 3-year-old colt. 1828 Jackson. 14-4

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FOR SALE:—2 ice cream cone ovens cheap. 1412 Gallia. 15-3

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FOR SALE:—16 foot motor boat powered with three horse Ferro engine. Can be seen at 617½ 3rd. Phone 954 X. 9tf

FOR SALE—Blickensderfer typewriters, new and second handed highly efficient, low priced machine, compact, durable and weighs but 5 pounds. Just the thing for small office, traveling man, contractor or the home. A. Kugelmann, 1006 Gallia. 16-3

FOR SALE:—9x12 Axminster rug, cheap. 1324 Findlay St. 16-2

FOR SALE—Brown mare, weighing 1300 pounds. Perfect beauty. Sound. Will sell reasonable. Apply 1163 9th St. 16-3

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Nice 5 room cottage Fifth near Brown, bath, electricity, street assessment paid, lot 38 ft. front, cabinet mantel, one of the best residential districts in the city. $3500.

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The Markets

NEW YORK STOCK

New York, April 17.—Today's two hour session of the stock market was accompanied by a further upward whirl of prices.

Virtually all the industrial and equipment issues which are said to have received war contracts added to recent gains, overnight advances ranging from 3 to 7 points.

Almost the sole exception was American Locomotive, which fell back to the outset, and though making partial recovery failed to come with in striking distance of the previous day's high figure.

United States Steel was the real feature by reason of its activity. It sold at 59⅞, a new record for the current movement.

Other speculative favorites, including Reading, St. Paul and Amalgamated also ascended to higher levels.

The close was buoyant. Bonds were firm.

The so-called war specialties were again conspicuous in today's early stock dealings.

New York Air Brake ascended two points to the new high price of 98, while American Locomotive was inclined to re-act, falling back 4¼ points to 56 on opening sales of 1,800 shares.

Baldwin Locomotive and Pressed Steel car rose to 5 points and numerous stocks in this particular class, including Bethlehem Steel were higher by 1 to 2 points. Speculative favorites shared in the rise Reading, St. Paul and U. S. Steel gaining a point each.

Trading was very active but without the wild movements of the preceding session.

CLOSING PRICES NEW YORK STOCKS

Amalgamated Copper 76.
American Beet Sugar 48.
American Cotton Oil 51¼.
American Smelting and Refining 72⅞.
American Sugar Refining 111.
American Tel. & Tel. 123¼.
Anaconda Mining Co 36½.
Atchison 102½.
Atlantic Coast Line 110.
Baltimore & Ohio 76¾.
Brooklyn Rapid Transit 91½.
Canadian Pacific 169¼.
Chesapeake & Ohio 46¼.
Chicago & North Western 130.
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul 95¼.
Colorado Fuel & Iron 34¾.
Colorado & Southern 30.
Delaware & Hudson 150½.
Denver & Rio Grande 7½.
Erie 28¾.
General Electric 154¼.
Great Northern pfd 120¾.
Great Northern Ore Ctfs 39½.
Illinois Central 108¼.
Interborough-Met 20⅞.
Interborough-Met pfd 72⅞.
Inter Harvester 99.
Louisville & Nashville 122¾.
Missouri Pacific 16.
Missouri, Kansas & Texas 13⅞.
Lehigh Valley 143⅝.
National Lead 67⅛.
New York Central 88¼.
Norfolk & Western 104⅞.
Northern Pacific 109⅞.
Pennsylvania 110⅛.
People's Gas 120¼.
Pullman Palace Car 156¼.
Reading 152⅞.
Rock Island Co ¾.
Rock Island Co pfd 1.
Southern Pacific 92½.
Southern Railway 18⅞.
Union Pacific 132.
United States Steel 59¾.
United States Steel pfd 109.
Wabash ½.
Western Union 68¼.
New Haven 64⅝.
Bethlehem Steel 137½.

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Chicago, April 17.—Notwithstanding that as a result of unresponsive cables, wheat today opened slightly easier, the market subsequently showed a quick rally with commission houses active in buying.

Reports of a need of rain in the Ohio Valley counted against the bears and so also did complaints of dry soil conditions in South Dakota. The ensuing bulge in prices however, led to a good deal of selling of a profit taking kind.

Opening quotations which varied from ¾ off to ½ up, were followed by a decided advance all around and then a moderate sag.

Bullish Argentine news and firmness in Liverpool gave strength to corn. Shipping demand improved and speculative sellers were scarce. After opening ⅛@¼ to ⅜@½ higher, made a substantial further advance before beginning to recut.

Oats hardened moderately with corn. Afterward the gain disappeared under a little increase of selling pressure.

Provisions developed firmness on the upward tendency of hog trading though was mainly of a local sorty.

Later a fresh advance in wheat took place in consequence of shorts evening up for the week end. Closing prices were unsettled at ⅜@⅝ above last night.

Word from the seaboard that big sales of corn had been made for export helped later to lift the market anew. The close was strong 1¼ to 1⅜ cents net higher.

OPENING PRICES

Wheat: May 161½@¼; July 133⅞@⅝; Sept. 117¾@117.

Corn: May 76⅛@76⅞; July 79⅛@79; Sept. 000.

Oats: May 57¼@½; July 56¾@½; Sept. 48⅞@¼.

CLOSING PRICES

Wheat: May 162; July 136.
Corn: May 77; July 79½.
Oats: May 57⅞; July 57¼.

PROVISIONS CLOSE

Pork—July $18.00; Sept. $18.42.
Lard—July $10.37; Sept. $10.62.
Ribs—July $10.45; Sept. $10.72.

TOLEDO GRAIN

Toledo, April 17.—Wheat cash $1.60; May $1.60¼.

Corn—cash 79½c; May 79c; July 81¾c.

Oats—cash 60½; May 59⅝c.

Rye No. 2, $1.13.

Cloverseed—prime cash and April $8.27½; Oct. $8.40.

Alsike prime cash $8.25.

Timothy prime cash $2.05; September $3.00.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS

CHICAGO

Chicago, April 17.—Hogs—Receipts 6,000; steady; bulk $7.25@7.50; light $7.20@7.65; mixed $7.15@7.65; heavy $6.85@7.45; rough $6.85@7.05; pigs $6.00@7.00.

Cattle—Receipts 100 steady; native beef steers $6.20@8.55; western steers $5.65@7.50; cows and heifers $2.30@8.20; calves $5.75@8.25.

Sheep—Receipts 1,00; weak; sheep $7.50@8.60; lambs $8.00@10.65.

CLEVELAND

Cleveland, April 17.—Cattle—Receipts 50; market steady.

Calves—Receipts 100; market steady.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 500. Market steady.

Hogs—Receipts 1,000; market steady; mediums $7.80; yorkers and light yorkers $7.85; pigs 7.50; roughs $6.20; sags $5.25.

CINCINNATI

Cincinnati, April 17.—Hogs—Receipts 1,400; steady.

Cattle—Receipts 100; steady; calves steady.

Sheep—Receipts 400; steady; Calves—Steady.

Sheep—Receipts 400; steady; lambs steady.

PITTSBURGH

Pittsburgh, Pa., April 17.—Hogs—receipts 1,000; higher

Heavies $7.85@7.90; yorkers $8.05; pigs $7.90@8.00.

Sheep and lambs—receipts 300, steady.

Top sheep $7.25; top lambs $9.50.

Calves—receipts 50, steady; top $9.00.

EAST BUFFALO

East Buffalo, N. Y., April 17.—Cattle—receipts 200, steady.

Veals—receipts 100, active; $4.50@10.00.

Hogs—2,600; active; heavy $7.85@8.00; mixed $8.05; yorkers and pigs $8.00@8.10; roughs $6.75@6.85; stags $5.00@6.00.

Sheep and lambs—1,800; slow; sheep steady; lambs $6.00@9.75.

PRODUCE MARKET

CHICAGO

Chicago, April 17.—Butter lower; creamery 22@29c;

Eggs—Higher; receipts 27,689; at mark, cases included 18@19½; ordinary firsts 18½@¾c; firsts 19½@¾c.

Potatoes—Receipts 26 cars; unchanged.

Poultry—Alive, lower; fowls at 15c; spings 18c.

SUGAR

New York, April 17.—Raw sugar easy; centrifugal 4.89c; molasses 4.12c; refined steady.

Sugar futures were easier under scattered trade and commission house selling.

The market closed easy at from 1 to 6 points dec line. Sales 2,500 tons. May 3.86c; July 3.96c; September 4.08c; December 3.86c.

BANK CLEARANCES

New York, April 17.—The statement of the actual condition of Clearing House banks and trust companies shows that they hold $168,057,820 reserve in excess of legal requirements.

This is an increase of $9,842,860 over last week.

ELGIN BUTTER

Elgin, Ill., April 17.—Butter—Lower; 100 tubs sold at 29 cents. 90 at 29½c; 50 at 28½c.

COTTON

New York, April 17.—Cotton—Futures closed easy; May $10.13c; July 10.38c; Oct. 10.76c; Dec. 10.93c; January 10.98c; March 11.17c.

COFFEE

New York, April 17.—Coffee—Rio No. 7, 7⅞; futures easy; May 5.98c; July 7.14c.

FOR SALE

Freestone, Ohio, on Norfolk & Western Railway, 12 miles west of Portsmouth, Ohio. Large lot with shade, good frame residence of 5 rooms, barn, etc., on public road leading to Brush Creek (3 minutes walk). Ideal summer home, or desirable for working man. Price $500.00. Very easy terms. Take Norfolk & Western Railway to Arion, inquire for "McElhaney Place", now vacant. T. J. COE, Arion, Ohio, or The Southern Ohio Loan & Trust Co., 515 Main St., Cincinnati, O. adv 1-Thurs & Sat-tf

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FOR RENT:—Fine 7 room house on Franklin avenue, large lot, cistern, cellar and bath complete. Price $3400. Phone 659. 17-1

FOR SALE:—House and large lot in Wheelersburg on car line. Phone Sciotoville exchange 3 on 50. 17-6

FOR SALE:—Two pure bred yearling Aberdeen Angus bulls Good ones. Scioto Valley Stock Farm. Call 1526 B. 17-tf

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FOR SALE:—Surry, good as new. Columbus, best make, 841 4th. 17-3

FOR SALE—Cash register, show case and counter. 425 2nd. 17-3

FOR SALE:—New 6 room house on Cedar St., New Boston. Phone 1150 Y. 17-6

FOR SALE:—Oil of Cedar Mop with a pint of polish 98c. The Central Hardware Co., 543-549 2nd. Phone 106. 17-3

FOR SALE:—Anconas and Yellow Leghorn, six hens and rooster, famous layers, also eggs for setting, Plymouth, Yellow Leghorn and Anconas. Geo. B. Morris 1408 17th St. 17-1

FOR SALE:—Pure bred R. I. eggs 60c at residence, 75c delivered to city. Write Geo. Emmott, R. D. 1, Portsmouth, O. 17-6

FOR SALE:—Davenport, four cushion covered parlor chairs. 1125 9th. 17-3

FOR SALE:—Leather couch in first class condition. 1321 2nd. 17-3

FOR RENT

FOR RENT:—Furnished or unfurnished room with bath, side entrance, 822 Chillicothe St. Phone 802. 8tf

FOR RENT:—4 rooms, 3 upstairs, kitchen down, gas and water. 823 Front. 13tf

FOR RENT:—Front room; all conveniences. 704 John. 16tf

FOR RENT:—Suite of 4 rooms, pantry and bath, upstairs, good location. W. E. Hancock, Sixth and Lincoln Sts. 16-3

FOR RENT:—Modern 5 room bungalow, $18 per month. Inquire of mornings 1426 2nd. 10-3

FOR RENT:—Flat, five rooms, bath, hardwood floors, one square from post office, desirable location. Phone 150. 16-3

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FOR RENT:—7 room house centrally located, modern improvements. See T. B. Lawson, 1409 2nd. 16-5

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5 room house 1126 Front.
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4 room house, 409 Boundary.
4 room house 417 Boundary.
4 room house 419 Boundary.
4 room house 423 Boundary.
4 room flat, Gallia St.
5 room house 522 Campbell.
3 room house, 1815 Dexter Ave.
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C. S. Cadot Agency Room 225 Masonic, Temple. 17-2

FOR RENT:—Furnished rooms, light housekeeping if preferred, 333 Front St. 10-7

FOR RENT:—Store room, next to Woolworth's. Si Straus, 220 Chillicothe. 6tf

FOR RENT:—5 room house 111 Glover street. Phone 344 Inquire 1318 2nd. 27-tu th sa tf

FOR RENT:—Upstairs four room flat, $11 per month. Water, gas, screens and blinds, best condition. 1528 3rd St. Inquire 1504 3rd. John Rottinghaus. 15-3

FOR RENT:—One 5 room flat with conveniences. Inquire 1210 4th. 15-6

FOR RENT:—5 room house, also furnished housekeeping rooms with bath. Inquire at 811 Washington, phone 172-X. 15-3

FOR RENT:—6 room cottage. Apply 1113 9th. 15-3

FOR RENT:—5 room flat, bath, heat, hardwood finish, front and back porches. 625 5th. 5tf

FOR RENT—5 room house 1016 12th St. Phone 62. 24tf

FOR RENT:—Store room, 822 Gallia. Inquire at Lehman's Store. 29tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping, all conveniences, 529 3rd St. 15tf

FOR RENT:—5 room house with garden. W. L. Wood, 1307 Hutchins. 16tf

FOR RENT:—5 room upstairs flat. Phone 1615 A. 1224 Sumalt. 15tf

FOR RENT:—4 room house in rear, of 713 9th. Phone 937 B. 14tf

FOR RENT:—5 room house, reception hall and bath, 1518 5th. Inquire 1526 5th. Phone 102. 14tf

FOR RENT:—Flat 4 rooms with bath Wilhelmette Realty Co. Phone 1200 X. 14-10

FOR RENT:—Furnished rooms light and heat furnished, bath, $3.00 per week. Phone 716 B or 601 Market. 14-4

FOR RENT:—2 room flat, 3 room cottage, J. A. Maxwell. 17-3

FOR RENT:—2 furnished rooms for light housekeping bath, all conveniences. Phone 1532 X. 17-3

FOR RENT:—2 furnished rooms, 1153 9th. 17-3

FOR RENT:—Two room house in rear, 1139 9th St. 17-3

FOR RENT—Modern flat 4 rooms and bath, heat furnished free, 539 3rd., opposite First Presbyterian church. $16 per month in advance. See Selewartz Clothing Co. 17-1

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FOR RENT:—2 furnished bedrooms, modern conveniences. Good location. 637 6th. 17-3

FOR RENT:—Furnished room with bath 946 2nd St. 17-3

FOR RENT:—3 room house furnished or unfurnished. 1821 7th St. 14tf

LOST

LOST:—Oil and wick holder from auto lamp. Phone 512-A. 15-3

LOST:—$10 bill between Lehman's and Woolworth's. H. Dykes, 2946 Walnut St. Phone 1288. 16-3

LOST:—On Chillicothe street, gold cuff link, initial D. Reward. Phone A. Dodds, Drew Shoe Co. 16-2

Miss Dolly Wise

She is here to answer any and all questions concerning love, matrimony, troubles, woes, etiquette, etc. Inquiries should be addressed to Miss Dolly Wise care The Daily Times, Portsmouth, O. Office Phone 60. Residence A-690.

Dear Miss Wise—I am going to take a long trip this spring and summer and as I have never traveled before I certainly would appreciate it if you would kindly give me a few pointers as to how to conduct myself while staying at hotels. The questions are: When you rent a room at a hotel do you pay for the room in advance, or do you pay for it when you are ready to leave the hotel? Do you pay the waiter for your meals after you are through eating or before, or do you settle for them when you are ready to leave the hotel? What are the proper costumes to wear for breakfast, lunch and dinner at a hotel? Do they have a bill of fare in all large hotels? How is the correct way for a lady to sit on horseback so as to look graceful? How is the correct way for a gentleman to assist a lady to mount a horse?

VIOLET.

You do not pay for your room until you are ready to leave a hotel. If you take your meals at the hotel you pay for them at the same time you settle for your room. It doesn't make any difference what you wear. Your street clothes will do. If you are traveling or sight-seeing, and only at the different hotels a day or two at a time you are not supposed to appear in evening dress at your meals. The same costume will do for breakfast, dinner and supper. Of course you can wear a fancy blouse or dinner gown if you care to. You can also wear your hat. They have a menu card at practically all first-class hotels. Many ladies do not use the side saddle, but have adopted the saddle used by gentlemen and we think with perfect propriety and far more safety. In mounting a horse the lady should stand on the near side of the horse with her skirt gathered in her left hand, her right resting on the pommel, and her face turned toward the horse's head. The gentleman stands at its shoulder, facing his companion, and stoops so that she may place her left foot in his hand, raising it as she springs, but not too suddenly or forcibly, lest she lose her balance and fall. He should then adjust her foot in the stirrup and smooth down the skirt of her riding habit.

Oak Hill, O.—Miss Dolly Wise—To whom should I address a letter to take up a claim in Texas or Oklahoma? I mean, what part of the government? G. M. H.

Write to Franklin K. Lane, Interior Department, Washington, D. C.

Dear Dolly—What is a good dry cleaner for the hair? I have heard that cornmeal and salt were good. Do you advise either? DORA.

Better send it to a dry cleaner. However, salt is good for the scalp and cornmeal removes the oil. Three-fourths of a cup of cornmeal and one-fourth cup of salt make a very good shampoo. The mixture should be heated in the oven before using. Graham flour also makes a very good dry shampoo.

Dear Dolly—Can a boy like a girl as well if she lives in a different town from him, as well as if they were near to one another? He can't go to see her very often when away. I have a friend in another city and I fear he will forget me. Do you think he will? MAE

I can't say whether he will or not. It depends on the boy and how well he likes you. With some it is "out of sight, out of mind," while "absence makes the heart grow fonder" with others.

Oak Hill, O.—Dear Dolly—I am a fine fellow of 21 summers and have been keeping company with a girl for four years past. I have asked this girl to marry me, which she says she will some time, but that some time never comes. Now do you think this girl ever intends to marry me or not? She is a fine girl and I hate to give her up. Please give me advice. D. R.

You have plenty of time yet to think about getting married. If she did name the day, are you sure you could support a wife? If so, then, ask her if she intends to marry you, and if she doesn't give you a definite answer, suppose you quit going to see her for awhile. Maybe she will wake up, if she thinks she is going to lose you. Going with other girls might also have the desired effect.

Dear Dolly—Will voile skirts be worn this spring and summer? I have a dark blue one. Please tell me what kind of an underskirt would be nice to wear with it? Please answer in tonight's Times. A. M. D.

You can wear a voile skirt all right if you have one. A blue petticoat would probably look best with it. However, a green would also go nicely with it if you care for anything like that.

Williamson, W. Va.—Miss Dolly Wise—Please tell me what is the county seat of Jackson county, Georgia. GEORGIAN RATTLER.

Jefferson is the county seat. It is a little town of 1307 inhabitants, situated in the center of the county on the Gainsville and Midland railroad.

Oak Hill, O.—Dear Dolly—What stops, and to whom would I have to apply to become a conductor on the Valley Traction line this fall? M. O. A.

If you mean the new Traction to be built between here and Ironton, apply to Raymond D. York or H. H. Higgins, of this city.

Cutey—He is not married.

Dear Dolly—I would like to get a little information from you. I married a girl in Indianapolis about a year ago and somehow we couldn't get along. She was too mean, and so I made up my mind and left her. Now I heard that she went away from there. I would like to know from you if I can obtain a divorce without her being present to attend the trial, for I don't know where she is. I know that she is in Chicago, but I don't know her address. A TIMES READER.

Better consult an attorney. I do not know anything about divorces or how they can be obtained. Would suggest that you and your wife try and patch up your differences, instead of seeking a divorce.

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SOCIETY

Miss Ruth Thompson's handsome home "The Ridge" was the scene of a charming party last evening when she entertained the members of the Saturday Afternoon Whist Club and a few other friends with auction bridge. There were seven tables. Among the guests was Miss Belle Dupre of New Orleans, guest of Mrs. Harry W. Miller. Albert York, young nephew of the hostess opened the door for the guests who were received by the hostess and her mother, Mrs. A. C. Thompson. Mrs. John W. Reilly won the favor for the women, a dainty basket for cut flowers. Mr. Paul Esselburn won a handsome thermometer. In serving a delicious two course lunch Miss Thompson was assisted by her two cousins, Miss Nell Turley and Miss Rosalie Turley and Miss Kate McConnell. Miss Ruth York, sweet little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. York and niece of the hostess, was also an honored guest.

The Queen Esther Circle of Trinity Methodist church met last evening at the home of Miss Elizabeth Blackburn on Gallia avenue. There were sixteen present. The meeting was very enthusiastic. Readings were given by Miss Elizabeth Gulker and Miss Henrietta Brown. It was decided to take a scholarship of fifteen dollars. Arrangements were made for a play to be given some time in May. Miss Katherine Dawson will coach the members who will take part in the play. Refreshments were served. Miss Lucile Tracy will be hostess at the next meeting.

Lucien Doty has returned from a business trip to Indianapolis, Dayton and Cincinnati.

Mrs. M. P. Rader entertained yesterday afternoon with a children's party at her home on Oakland avenue for the pleasure of her little son, Michael, who celebrated his fourth birthday anniversary. Games were played by the little ones after which Mrs. Rader was assisted by Mrs. Bernard Fry in serving ice cream, cake and fruit. The rooms were prettily adorned in flowers for the occasion. The little host was the recipient of many pretty gifts. Those present were as follows:

Virginia Gunther, Esther Perry, Evelyn and Frances Mathews, Mary Margaret Kean, Alden Fry, Thurman Matheny, George Suiter, William Bickham Jesse Wiget, John Kean and Mary Rader, little sister of the young host.

Mr. and Mrs. Addison Minshall and baby of Chillicothe, will arrive Sunday to spend a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Doty, on Grant street.

The Progress Club will meet next Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Everett Wykoff, 1656 Logan street where Miss Elizabeth Rockwell will be the assisting hostess.

Mrs. Minnie Dight has gone to Columbus for a visit after which she will return to Portsmouth.

Miss Alice Reese will go to Waverly to spend Sunday with her relatives.

The Holmes Club held the regular meeting last evening at the home of Mrs. George Webb on New Fifth street. There was no program, the evening being spent in needlework. There were nineteen members present and two guests, Mrs. David Edwards and her guest, Mrs. James Henry, of New Castle, Ind. Mrs. Webb and the assisting hostess, Miss Norma Mayer served light refreshments. Mrs. William Tritscheller will be the hostess at the next meeting.

Miss Lenora McNamara has as week-end guests Miss Charline Banks and Mr. Franklin Banks, of Huntington, W. Va., Miss McNamara will entertain at dinner Sunday in honor of her guests. Other guests will be Mr. and Mrs. Everett Wykoff and Mr. Willis Schlaegel.

Mr. and Mrs. Archibald Somerville will entertain the Dinner Club at the next meeting.

Mrs. Lena Kline Reed will give a reading, "The Syrian Guest," tomorrow afternoon at the Y. W. C. A., at the Vesper services.

Miss Kate Crichton has returned to her home in Wheelersburg at the end of a visit with her sister, Mrs. King, in Dayton.

Mrs. Grant Williams left this afternoon to join Mr. Williams in New York, where she will spend a week.

Judge J. C. Milner left this morning for a visit to French Lick Springs, Ind.

Dr. Ralph Knowles, of New York, arrived today to see his sister, Miss Lucy Knowles, who has been ill for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Fuller, of Columbus, will arrive this evening to spend Sunday with Mr. Fuller's father, who will celebrate his birthday anniversary tomorrow with a family dinner at The Washington Hotel.

Miss Alice Cutler will spend Sunday with her relatives in Piketon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Swentzel, who have been staying at the Davis boarding house on Sixth street, have moved across the street to the Miss Elizabeth Metzger flats, where they have rented a suite of rooms. They will continue to board at the Davis home.

Dr. and Mrs. A. R. Nixon, of Gallia and Offnere streets, have as their guest Miss Alta Simmons, of Peebles, Ohio.

The Woman's Literary Club held a delightful meeting at the Woman's Club parlors yesterday afternoon. Two excellent papers were read, "The Cambridge Scholar," by Mrs. Howard Sellards, and "The World's Greatest Classic" by Miss Ada Vigus. A very entertaining and highly appreciative program of music and readings was presented. All the participants were enthusiastically recalled. The program consisted of the following:

Piano solo by Mrs. Arthur Stevens; a vocal solo by Mrs. Lloyd Strecker, and short humorous readings by Mrs. John Rottinghaus, Miss Salome Augustin, Miss Leonora Allard and little Miss Grace Ruark.

Mrs. Kline gave an interesting resume of Current Events.

The new executive board, Mrs. Kline, Mrs. Horchow, Mrs. Rowe, Miss Firmstone and Mrs. Batey, presented the attractive year books for 1915 and 1916. Turkey will be the country for the principal study next year. One day will be devoted to a Peace program, which promises to be very instructive.

Mr. and Mrs. John Flannigan, of Market street, were in Chillicothe Saturday and attended the last rites of the late Mrs. Mary Breen.

Mrs. Ella Jackson, of Gallia and Lincoln streets, is entertaining relatives from West Union.

The marriage bans of Mr. Joseph W. Schneider and Miss Clara Augustin will be announced for the first time at the Sunday morning services of the Holy Redeemer church. Mr. Schneider is the local agent for the L. C. Smith typewriter, and his many friends will hasten to extend their best wishes. Miss Augustin is the charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. Augustin, Jr., of Gallia street. The date of this popular couple's wedding has not been announced. Mr. Schneider is a son of Mr. and Mrs. George Schneider, former Portsmouth residents.

Miss Ruth Tongs, of Tongs, Ky., was a visitor in the city Saturday.

Mrs. Andrew King, of Frost, Ky., was in the city shopping Saturday.

David Gardner, a student at Michigan University, arrived home at noon Saturday for a brief visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Gardner, of Park avenue.

Miss Mary Pirrung, of Eighth street, left Saturday for Ironton to remain over Sunday with relatives and friends.

Miss Mary Varner will come home next Tuesday from Cleveland, where she has been visiting among friends.

The Jewish Kaffee Klatch will meet next Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Max Lehman, on Timmonds avenue.

Mrs. J. C. Jackson, of Chillicothe, arrived today to visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. R. S. Kyle, on Second street.

Mrs. John Wente and daughter, Dortha, arrived home today after a week's visit with relatives in Cincinnati.

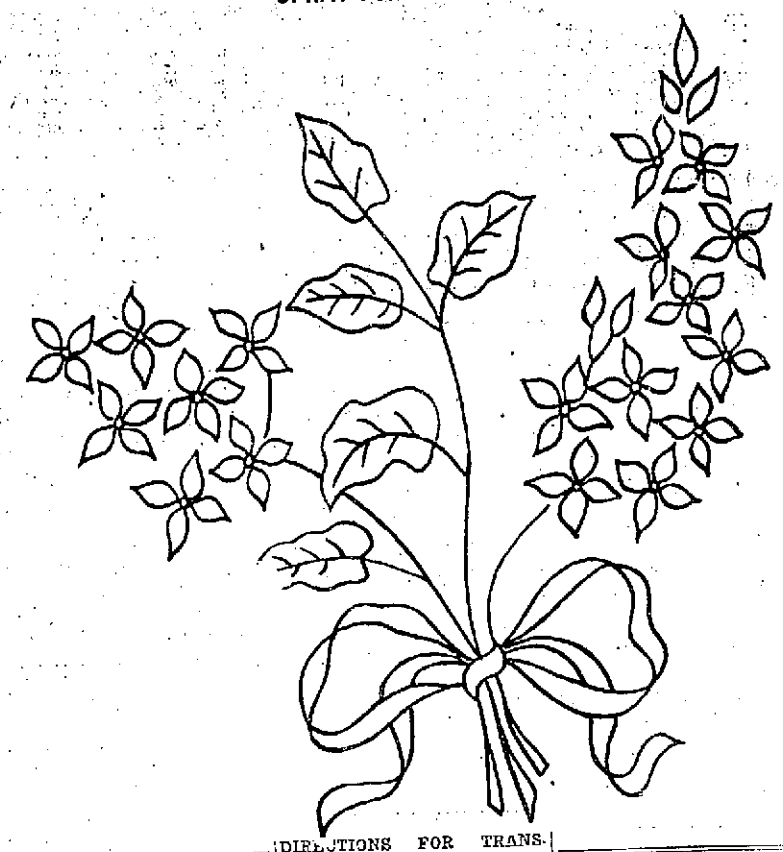
Several friends of Miss Ruth Baker gathered at her home on Oakland avenue last evening in celebration of her seventeenth birthday anniversary. The evening was spent in dancing and music, after which refreshments were served. The guest list included Misses Dorothy Wright, Geneva Huddleson, Virginia Jones, Mary Fairtrace, Messrs Glen Edwards, Arthur Carey, James Breece, George Grassman, Feurt Crawford.

The Tuesday Afternoon Sewing Club will meet next Tuesday at the home of Mrs. John Reilly, on Second street.

Mrs. Albert Marting will be hostess at the next meting of the Young Ladies' Sewing Club.

Mrs. John Flood will be hostess at the next meting of the Country Club April 30th.

SPRAY FOR WORK BAG



The I. P. O. I. held a delightful meeting last evening at the home of Mrs. E. A. Eynon, on Grant street. Those present were Misses Marie Clausing, Gertrude Zeigler, Olga Thoroman, Alice Rees, Olive Cutler, Katherine Markham, Katherine Roush and Lola Craigmiles. The evening was spent in sewing, after which an excellent lunch was served.

The next meeting of the Bridge Club will be held Friday, April 30th, at the home of Mrs. Jacob H. Smith on Offnere street.

Mrs. Charles E. Hard's class of Trinity Methodist Sunday school held a delightful social session last evening at the home of Miss Gertrude Davidson, on Fourth street, who was assisted by Mrs. John Millard, Mrs. Edgar Appel, Misses Sara Miller, Ceola Raynolds and Ethel Oakes. One of the pleasures was a clever fabric contest arranged by Miss Floy Staten, which was very interesting. An enjoyable program was given as follows:

Piano—Song Without Words—(Siebeth); Barcarolle (Ehrlich)—Mrs. J. D. Creveling.

Vocal, "Springtime," "Dainty Dorothy"—Mrs. C. L. Strecker, accompanied by Mrs. S. R. Crawford.

Reading from James Whitcomb Riley—Miss Alma Davisson.

Violin, "Just a-Wearyin' for You" and "I Love You Truly" (Carrie Jacobs Bond)—Mrs. Joseph Micklethwait, accompanied by Miss Nettie Pray.

After the program refreshments were served by the hostesses, when little Miss Martha Gould brought in a basket filled with lovely flowers, which she presented to the bride of the class, Mrs. Joseph Micklethwait, who found secreted underneath the flowers a handsome cut-glass vase, a gift from the class.

Mrs. Charles Rice, who has been the substitute teacher of the class, and Mrs. Robinson were guests. There were forty-eight members of the class present, one of the largest meetings in many seasons.

Mrs. Lina Haldeman, who has been spending the past three months with a party of friends in Florida, will arrive here tomorrow.

Miss Mary Kelley entertained the Big Four Kensington Club last evening at her home, 1116 Hutchins street. Needlework was the special diversion of the evening, followed by refreshments. The members present were Misses Lizzie Harsha, Ellen Sprouse, Maud Kratzer, Viva Syrus and Louella Bennett.

The Dalton Auction Bridge Club will meet next Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Guy V. Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Williams and Miss Margaret Lampton motored to Ashland, Ky., today and were accompanied by their guest, Mr. R. A. Sheridan, of Huntington.

Mrs. R. S. Kyle will entertain Le Cercle Francais next Monday afternoon at her home on Second street.

WITH THE SICK

Mrs. Edward Phillips has been very ill for several days at her home, Front and Gay streets.

John Davis, of Union street, is slowly recovering from an attack of pneumonia.

John Schwartz, Third street, who has been ill with fever for the past week, was reported better Saturday.

DIRECTIONS FOR TRANSFERRING

In taking off these patterns, lay a piece of impression paper upon the material, place the newspaper pattern over this, and with a hard, sharp pencil draw firmly over each line. If the material is sheer it may be laid over the pattern and drawn off with pencil, as the design will show through.

No patterns of these designs are available.

Mrs. Heil Stricken

Mrs. Louisa Heil, one of the pioneer German residents of the city and a widow of the late John Heil, was stricken with paralysis Friday at her home, 928 Gallia street and her condition is very serious. Her left side is affected.

When William Heil, a son returned home Friday he found his mother lying on the floor in an unconscious condition. A physician was summoned and it was soon learned that Mrs. Heil had suffered a stroke of paralysis.

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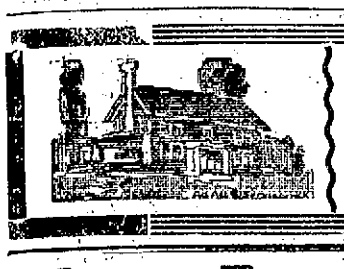

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PHONES: 543, 33 OR 446

INSPECTION TRIP

Prominent B. & O. S. W. officials passed through Portsmouth Saturday on an inspection trip over the local branch of the road. The officials will stop at Parkersburg. In the party were J. M. Davis, General Manager, R. N. Begien, General Superintendent, and Mr. Kern, superintendent of transportation, all of Cincinnati; ad G. D. Brook, of Chillicothe, Gen. Traffic Mgr., of the Ohio Division.

APRIL TERM OF COURT TO OPEN ON MONDAY

The February term of common pleas court adjourned sine die Saturday morning, at the conclusion of the hearing of several divorce and alimony matters by Judge Thomas.

The April term convenes Monday morning at ten o'clock, at which time Judge Thomas will call the docket for the term. All attorneys having cases pending are urged to be present.

The petit jury has been ordered in Monday afternoon at one o'clock. The first case to be heard is the $20,000 alienation suit of Edward E. Burt against David A. Alspaugh. Blair and Kimble represent the plaintiff and Theodore K. Funk the defendant.

Nothing Doing Says The G. O. P. Highway Commissioner.

No Money Available For Scioto Co. Roads

Senator W. D. Tremper and Representative W. R. Sprague are both home for week-end visits.

Mr. Sprague said that farmers on the East Side who have been besieging him and Senator Tremper to secure money from the main market road funds to complete contemplated road improvements at Wheelersburg, Munn's Run and on the West Side will be disappointed for no money is available at this time. All that Scioto county will get for use this year under the circumstances will be $163,000 or its share of the regular allowance divided equally among the 88 counties of the state. The amount that would be needed to complete the main market roads of the east and west sides would be at least $50,000.

Confirm Sale

Confirmation of the sale of the Thompson homestead, Eighth and Findlay streets, recently to John W. Russell, was approved by Judge Thomas in common pleas court Saturday. The property was sold to satisfy a judgment obtained from H. F. Thompson and Mathew Thompson by George G. Green. Green later assigned his claim to Arthur H. Bannon, city.

Judge Thomas ordered the following distribution of the money, $6,000, derived from the sale: Taxes, $110.36; Arthur H. Bannon, for taxes, street improvements and the like, $176.10; Arthur H. Bannon, claim, $3,936.04; balance of $2,265.73 to defendant, Mathew W. Thompson.

NEW BOSTON

B. F. Brown, carpenter at the Breece manufacturing plant had a narrow escape from breaking his neck Friday about noon. Brown was working on a scaffold at the new dry house, twenty feet above the ground. A two-inch joist on which he was standing with a large pine knot in it, broke. Brown struck a scaffold brace and then another two-inch joist which broke. Brown is a heavy man and was badly shaken up. He was unconscious for some time. His right arm and left hip were badly bruised and the left side of his face lacerated. Dr. W. G. Cheney removed him home. Contractor J. C. Harris remarked two minutes before Brown fell that it was the first job he had completed without an accident.

Council will meet Monday evening at 7:30.

Mrs. Fred Essman of Gallia pike, underwent a successful operation at Hempstead hospital, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Briskor East Rhodes avenue, are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby daughter.

Jonas Harr, baby son of Councilman W. T. Harr, who had a bone in his right arm broken Friday, is getting along nicely.

Miss Etta McCarty, school teacher, will spend Sunday with relatives at Lucasville.

Henry McDowell, son of Robert McDowell, West Stanton avenue, who was seriously injured, Thursday evening, in a fall over a cliff, was reported much better Saturday.

Earl McKinley, clerk at Coburn's pharmacy, has purchased a motor attachment for his bicycle, who lost considerable blood.

Leslie Davis young son of Chas. Davis, Gallia pike, Lakeside, met with a very painful accident at recess Friday afternoon at Sciotoville school, while playing ball he was hit in the neck just below the chinn, cutting a gash. Dr. W. G. Cheney attended the lad who lost considerable blood.

Contractor J. C. Harris has completed a large dry house at the Breece plant.

The stork left an eight pound girl to brighten the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Stevens, Rhodes avenue, Saturday morning. The "daddy" is a Breece employee.

Village Engineer Sam Harper has completed plans for the six foot sewer near the Peebles tunnel and work will start early next week. The sewer will serve as a flood defense.

Contractors Watkins and Phillips have completed work on West avenue. Mains are being laid on East Grace street. It will take ten days to complete the work of laying mains.

Mrs. Frank Hasselman of Center street, city, was the Friday guest of Mrs. Will Hasselman, of Ohio avenue.

Kaps Bros. who are building the addition to the Stanton avenue school, have tile laid for the first floor. The concrete mixer arrived Friday and concrete for the floor will be poured early next week.

Constable Charles Davis will hold constable sales at the Wiley McHenry grocery April 26 and 23. The household goods of John Neal and Jack Caseman will be sold.

J. I. Marsh is laying a cement walk in front of his property on Ohio avenue.

James Hurley, of McDermott, spent Friday with his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Chinn, East Rhodes avenue.

Amos Sadler, of Ohio avenue, is laid up with a large gash in his right foot which he received at the steel plant by stepping on a large steel sheet.

Davy Jones and "Dad" Chas. Davis are perched on the banks of Millbrook lake every afternoon.

"Dad" landed a five pounder and Saturday morning after a few minutes wait pulled a 22 pounder from the water. All the fish were German carp.

Joe Justice contracted the "fish fever" Friday and landed a 11 pound cat fish while fishing in the Ohio.

TERMINALS

James Fields, three-year-old lad, living two miles west of Glen Hayes, W. Va., was struck by N. & W. freight No. 94, Friday. Nat Davidson, conductor, and J. T. Akers, engineer, were in charge of the train. The little tot was sitting on the end of a tie when struck. He was cut and bruised about the head and face.

The following notice has been received here: "R. S. Anderson has been appointed terminal trainmaster of the Chesapeake & Ohio, in charge of all yards, with headquarters in Richmond, Va., terminal, and the office of general yardmaster at Richmond terminal has been abolished."

The Railway Age Gazette says: "The Norfolk & Western is in the market for 4,000 tons of heavy section rails."

"Trouble," a valued bull dog belonging to Miss Geraldine Gardner of Walnut street, met death several days ago under the wheels of a street car.

Alonzo Porter, N. & W. truckman at the N. & W. freight house at Kenova, had the arch of his right foot sprained and bruised Friday when the foot was caught between a loaded truck and a board.

Mrs. J. E. Lodwick, wife of N. & W. file clerk, will go to Cincinnati Sunday.

A freight car on an extra N. & W. west bound freight left the rails Friday night at the interlocking plant at Kenova. A broken truck was the cause of the derailment.

Robert Snapp, Richard Boyd, and Arthur Davis have returned from a fishing trip up the Scioto river. Five small fish were captured in two days.

Mrs. Anne Mount of Green Bottom, W. Va., has returned home after a week's visit with her daughter, Mrs. Duck Boyd, of Beech street.

Mrs. Jesse Gardner of Walnut street, has returned from a visit with relatives at Winchester. Her cousin, Dr. C. S. Corby, at Winchester, has been seriously ill and is but little better. He recently returned from Johns Hopkins hospital at Baltimore, Md. Her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. David Phibbs have been ill with rheumatism and grip. Mrs. Hester Steen, mother of Mrs. Gardner, who has been visiting at Winchester, returned with her daughter.

FOR SALE

Bargain, large two story house, 1717 5th. Pantry, sliding doors, 3 mantels. Lot 38 ft. front. Party leaving city. Mrs. Walter Eyler, 1638 Fifth St. tues, thurs sat tf

Get Deposition

The sealed deposition of Charles Ginocchio, plaintiff in a personal injury damage case recently filed in the common pleas court of this county against the E. G. Nave Brothers company, has been received by Roy McElhaney, clerk of courts. Ginocchio is bringing the suit as administrator of the estate of a foreigner, alleged to have been killed in Indiana while in the employ of the defendant.

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WILL ERECT BAKERY

Alfred Schirrmann has decided to erect a bakery in the rear of his property, 1412 Gallia street. It will be complete in every way and will be housed in a two-story brick building that is to go up right away. The plans are being drawn by Architect Arthur Devoss.

Get Garden Seed at Stabler's. adv 15-3

Hotel Opens

The new Hotel Brunswick at Tenth and Waller streets, formerly the Harris House, was opened up to the traveling public Friday. The building has been entirely remodeled and renovated and every piece of furniture and furnishings is entirely new.

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Aeh Farm Is Sold

One of the big real estate deals of the county was closed Friday when Frank Eck came into possession of the Charles Aeh farm at Waits Station. The deal was closed through J. D. Fritz, of Dogwood Ridge. The consideration was not made public.

Judgment Given

Judgment to Joseph Steagall in the sum of $6.12 from Morris T. Stewart was approved by Judge Thomas in common pleas court Saturday morning.

Move Into New Home

A. Kline, manager of the Fashion, Gallia street, will move in a few days into the home on Third street, near Bond, recently vacated by Attorney and Mrs. B. F. Kimble.

Into New Home

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Steinberg have moved into their new home on the Hilltop, which they recently purchased from Walter Hannah. Mr. Steinberg is the local agent for the Royal typewriter.

Alimony Reduced

Judge Thomas in common pleas court Saturday morning reduced the alimony allowance of Gladys Morgan, wife of John Morgan, a steel worker, from $15 a week to $7.50. Blair and Kimble represent the wife, and N. B. Gilliland the husband.

NOTICE

All debtors owing the C. Hans estate will kindly call and settle at once. 2101 Gallia.

Administratrix.

adv 14-tf

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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks for the kindness shown us during the illness and death of our daughter. Also those who sent flowers. The choir, undertaker and Rev. Weiser for his comforting words.

Mr. and Mrs. Lafayette Snooks adv 17-1

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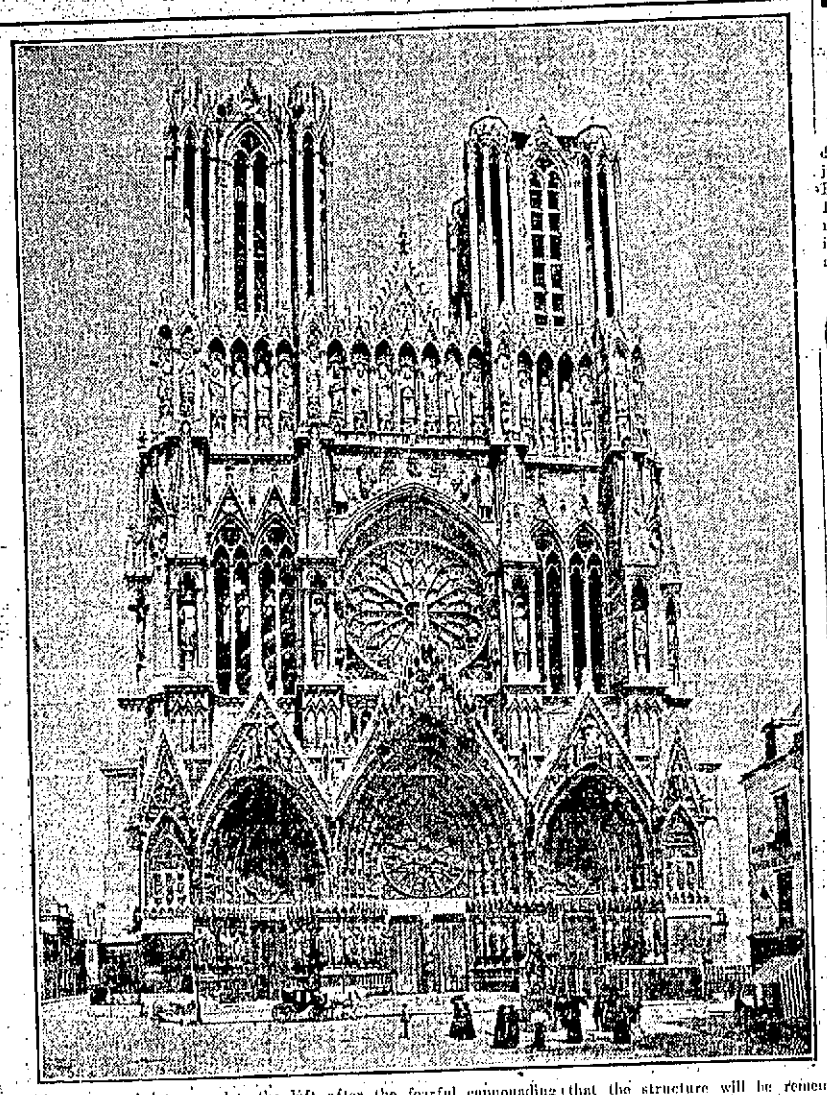
RHEIMS CATHEDRAL LITERALLY RUINED



What was needed to complete the ruin of the greatest of all examples of Gothic architecture has been accomplished by a Zeppelin raid. A few bombs dropped among the ruins left after the fearful cannonading of last fall have done the devastating work. It is, as it stood for centuries, as the unparalleled example of ecclesiastical architecture that the structure will be remembered in the centuries to come. Its restoration would appear to be well-nigh impossible.

BADLY INJURED ON MOTORCYCLE

William Wilson, aged 21, a resident of New Boston, was badly injured in a motorcycle accident at Eleventh and Chillicothe streets, at 12 o'clock Saturday. When his motorcycle crashed into the curbing Wilson was thrown headlong across the sidewalk, his head hitting a concrete step.

He suffered a bad cut over the left eye and bruises about the arms and hands. He was taken to Dr. Harry Schirmann's office. Wilson says the clutch of his machine refused to work. The machine was put out of commission.

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CONTRACTORS GO OVER JOB

Prominent contractors who expect to bid for portions of the work of consruction of the Chesapeake and Ohio Northern Railroad company between Sciotoville and Waverly arrived in this city Saturday to make a survey of the company's right-of-way. Accompanied by the resident engineer, H. B. Watters, they left Saturday afternoon in taxi-cabs to cover the first seven miles northwest of Sciotoville. In the party were Messrs. Kealy and Gilmore, of the firm of Gilmore and Kealy Brothers, of Morgantown, W. Va., and Messrs. Lovejoy and Wilson, of the firm of Lovejoy and Wilson, of Pittsburgh.

The above contractors will submit bids for sub-contracts to the contractors who have been awarded the general contracts.

Buckeye Incubators at Stahler's. adv 15-3

Back From The East

Paul Davidson, manager of the ready to wear department of Marting Bros.' store, returned home Saturday from a week's visit to New York City, buying summer styles for his firm.

NEW CARS ARRIVE

Two Chalmers touring cars arrive dover the C. & O. Saturday for Will Friel. The cars have been sold to Charles Daehler and James Kelley.

REPUBLICAN RALLY WILL TAKE PLACE ON MAY 15

Saturday evening, May 15th, was definitely decided upon as the time for the big Republican rally and banquet to be held in this city, which will be attended by Republicans of nation-wide and state prominence. Tentative plans for the party feast were made at a meeting of the Republican county executive committee, held Saturday afternoon at the office of Roy McElhaney, clerk of courts.

Senator W. D. Tremper, Representative W. R. Sprague, Charles E. Hard, Roy McElhaney and Geo. A. Ditty composed a committee of local leaders who waited upon Governor Willis at Columbus Friday and extended him an invitation to attend. He informed the committee that he would attend without fail having canceled an engagement at Cleveland in order to accept the local invitation.

Charles E. Hard also reported that he had definite word from U. S. Senator Harding and Congressman Chas. C. Kearns, that they too would be present. It was decided to extend invitations to every state official and it is hoped that some of them will be able to be present.

Local party leaders have in mind making the banquet one of state-wide importance. They expect Governor Willis to make a resume of the legislation enacted at the present session of the state legislature and to present his brief to the people of Ohio on the fulfillment of party pledges and platform promises. Senator Harding's speech will deal with national issues, as will that of Congressman Kearns.

Authority was given Chairman P. W. Young to appoint a committee to have full charge of the arrangements for the banquet which will probably be held at "The Club" auditorium on Fourth street. This committee will be appointed within a few days, it was announced.

Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the Scioto County Federation of Catholic Societies will be held at St. Mary's schools hall Sunday afternoon. Delegates will be present from the various societies and parishes of the county.

ACCUSED OF ROBBERY

Frank Piatt returned here Saturday noon from Circleville accompanied by the chief of police of that city and they will take back with them Marion Nichols whom Piatt has charged with robbing him of his roll of $225 the latter part of March. Piatt is a resident of Pond Creek.

APPLICATION OVERRULED

Judge Thomas overruled the application for temporary alimony of Carrie Hemplemann, defendant in a divorce action filed by her husband, Edward Hemplemann, in common pleas court Saturday morning.

Mrs. Hemplemann is seeking a divorce on cross petition. Miller and Micklethwait represent the plaintiff, and Blair and Kimble the defendant. The couple lived in Brush Creek township.

Dr. O. D. Tatje has moved from First National Bank Bldg., to Dr. Fetter's office, Cor. 4th and Waller Sts. 16-6t

LODGED IN JAIL

Henry Davis was arrested at his home on Duck Run by Constable Henry Shields, of Pond Run, Friday night and lodged in the county jail on execution of fine and costs in Squire Yeasey's court, amounting to $17.

Davis, it seems, was arrested March 25th for alleged trespassing on Alex Givens' premises at McGaw and agreed to pay up in ten days, but failed to do so, it is claimed.

SOLD UNDER HAMMER

The bar fixtures and other equipment of Jesse Carr were disposed of at a constable's sale in L. C. Peel & Co.'s storage house Saturday afternoon.

Gus Hoerner, Theo Pierron, Attorney Philip Jacobs and Glockner & Meyer were the buyers. The goods were recently levied upon by Loeb & Co. and Isaac Levi, of Cincinnati and Glockner & Meyer of this city.

Garden Seeds at Stahler's. adv 15-3

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"MA" SUNDAY TALKING TO SINNERS

Against the more than 30,000 converts made in Philadelphia under the preaching of Billy Sunday, the baseball evangelist, a great number have been the result of special services held by Mr. Sunday's workers in the various churches of the city. Mrs. Sunday addresses many of these meetings, and her work has been most productive of results. The movement of trail-hitters after one of "Ma" Sunday's talks is always strong.

Freight Service Is To Be Improved

Two interesting announcements were made during the visit here Saturday of general officials of the B. & O. S. W.

One was that with the new time card soon to be put into effect the B. & O. S. W. would operate a new fast freight run between New York and Cincinnati that meant a 12 hour run from Portsmouth to the Queen City. In other words freight that left Portsmouth at night would reach Cincinnati at 9 o'clock the following morning.

It was also announced that beginning Monday the company would restore its night freight run between Portsmouth and Hamden due to increased business. The run has been suspended for the past two months.

Miss Bess Huddleson will be hostess at this evening's meeting of the K. K. K. followed by a theatre party.

Has Sold Store

John A. Heisel, a well known former Scioto countian and wife, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lauter, of Ninth street. Mr. Heisel just recently disposed of his store at Oklahoma City, where he has been located the past seven years, and may decide to locate here again. He will also visit his son, Walker Heisel, of Greenup, Ky.

All kinds Fertilizer at Stahler's adv 15-3

TAKEN TO MANSFIELD

Sheriff Smith left early Saturday morning for Mansfield, having in custody Alfred Thomas and Milam Brown, whom he will deliver to the officials of the Mansfield Reformatory to begin their sentences. Both were sentenced for burglary and larceny.

Kettle That Really Sings

A Japanese inventor has provided an iron kettle which bursts into song the moment the kettle begins to boil. The sounds are produced by steam bubbles striking against musical metallic bars, just above the water.

125,000 WORKMEN

(Continued from Page 1.)

Union leaders and officials of the Building Construction Employers' Association, which declared the lockout, asserted that they expected little assistance from the conference of the state board of arbitration which meets Monday to offer its services in the interest of industrial peace.

Neither side, it was said, was willing at this time to make concessions. The board of arbitration was ordered to meet by Gov. Edward F. Dunne. The board does not have authority to settle labor disputes, but is empowered to investigate and make public its findings.

The contractors, it was announced, have withdrawn their previous offer of a wage increase, and if the carpenters return to work it would be at the old rate of sixty-five cents an hour.

The carpenters demanded seventy cents. The contractors offered a two and one-half cent increase for the last eighteen months of the proposed three year agreement.

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Garbage Dump Was On Fire

Fire at the Brokaw garbage dump called the East End company Saturday and firemen spent several hours in extinguishing the blaze.

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Adopted In Probate Court

Roy Meadows, three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Keneas Meadows, was legally adopted in probate court, Saturday, by Mr. and Mrs. William Davis. The mother of the child is an inmate of the Athens insane hospital.

Stoves of all kinds at Stahler's adv 15-3

Craig Boy Doing Fine

Mrs. Charles Mefford, the Mill street woman who won the thanks of the entire community by taking charge of Landy Craig, an imbecile, reports that the boy is learning to talk and is also able to walk for the first time in his life.

Buggies and Harness at Stahler's. adv 15-3

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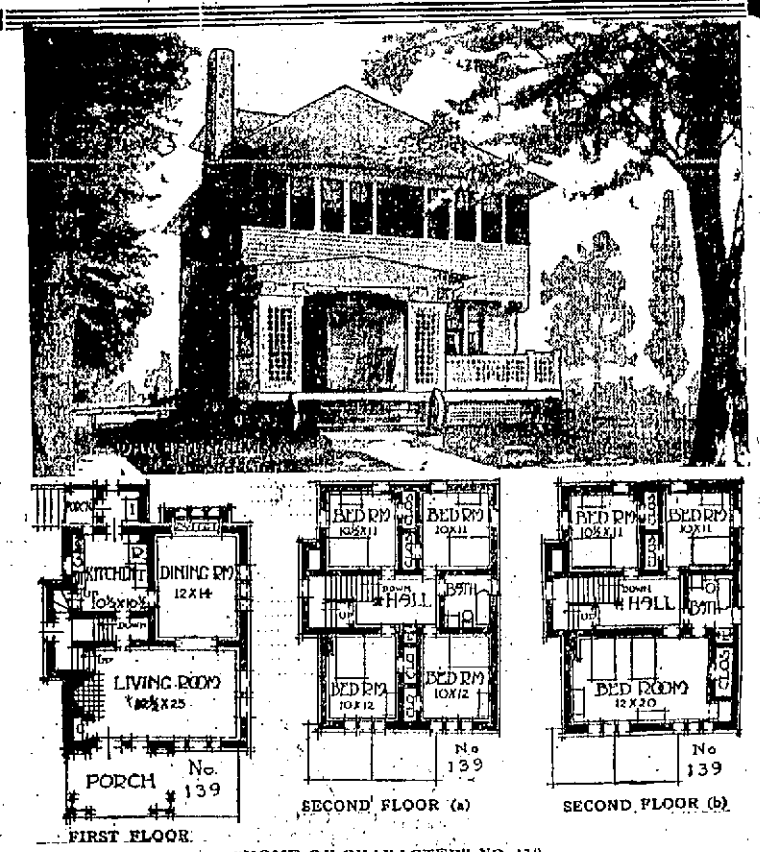

"HOME OF CHARACTER" NO. 139

The size of this attractive home is 24x28 feet and has been built as shown in the photograph for $3500, and under no circumstances should the cost exceed $3500. Readers should bear in mind that there is a difference in labor costs as well as material costs in different localities and that the kind of material specified also enters into the cost of the home.

The exterior is made more than ordinarily attractive through the latticed columns supporting the pergola-covered porch, while a novel treatment of the end of the living room is obtained by arranging the fireplace beside the stairs and placing the seat, or coat closet as you may prefer at the other end of the mantel. The buffet may either be built in at the end of the dining room or a buffet placed where designated with casement windows over it.

Note the convenience of a well-arranged kitchen and the accessibility of the main stairway from the rear.

Two plans are given for the second floor with either three or four rooms, as desired, no changes being required in the exterior of building on either plan.

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THE LATEST IN SPORTDOM

ROOKIES WILL PLAY THE STEELWORKERS SUNDAY

There will be a game in Millbrook park Sunday afternoon, play commencing at 2:30 o'clock.

The Portsmouth Ohio State league team reinforced by rookies from Doyle's training school will play the Portsmouth Steel Plant team and the fans are assured a good game. Many of the rookies will be trotted out to get the once over and the game will be full of interest.

Manager Spencer plans to use three pitchers and the Steelmakers will present their strongest lineup and fully expect to walk off the field victorious. Buck Yeager will handle the indicator.

AND HE WAS NOT JOKING EITHER.

For several years, as readers of the sporting pages know, the domestic affairs of the Philadelphia National League club have been subject to frequent changes of administration.

During the December meeting of the Big League magnates in New York, Sherwood Magee, the star outfielder for the Phillies and one of the wags of baseball, dropped in to look things over.

Somebody spoke of the possibility of a new alignment of the directorate in Philadelphia.

"I shouldn't be a bit surprised," said Magee; "in the years I've played on that team I've had no less than nine presidents under me!"

DEVELOPS INTO CONTEST OF SKILL

Nome, Alaska, April 17.—With the leaders less than 100 miles from the finish line at Nome the 412 mile all-Alaska sweep stakes dog team race has developed into a contest of skill between Leonard Seppala and A. A. (Scotty) Allen and of endurance between Seppala's sixteen Siberian wolves and the Allen-Darling team of sixteen Malamutes.

At 7:25 last night, Seppala, who was leading, drove into Council, 85 miles from Nome, having driven a total of 327 miles in 58 hours and 15 minutes.

PITCH CLASSY BALL FOR CHICAGO FEDS

McConnell (left) and Hendrix.

McConnell and Hendrix are two pitchers counted upon by Joe Tinker to help win the Federal league pennant for Chicago this year. McConnell is the man whose jump from organized baseball to the Feds recently caused an interchange of sharp words between President Thomas of the Cubs and President Weeghman of the Whales. Thomas charged that Weeghman had promised not to sign up McConnell.

Reds Beat Pirates

The Reds beat the Pittsburgh Pirates in one inning Friday, the final score being 4 to 2. The Reds have now copped two out of three from the Smoketown gang and the I Told You So's are chirping gleefully. The score:

Pittsburgh	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Carey, lf	3	1	0	3	0	0
Johnston, 1b	1	0	0	7	0	0
Viox, 3b	2	0	0	0	1	1
Hinchman, rf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Lelivelt, cf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Gerber, ss	4	0	0	5	2	0
McCarthy, 2b	3	1	0	5	2	0
Gibson, c	1	0	0	1	2	0
Schang, c	2	0	2	1	1	0
Vance, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Conzelman, p	1	0	0	0	2	0
*Costello	1	0	0	0	0	0
Kantlehner, p	0	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	27	2	3	24	12	1

*Costello batted for Conzelman.

Cincinnati	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Leach, cf	2	1	1	0	0	0
Herzog, ss	3	1	0	3	3	0
Kilefer, lf	1	0	0	4	0	0
Griffith, rf	4	0	2	2	0	0
Groh, 3b	3	1	2	2	3	0
Olson, 2b	3	0	0	2	3	0
Mollwitz, 1b	3	0	1	9	0	0
Clarke, c	3	0	1	4	1	0
Douglass, p	2	1	0	0	1	0
Dale, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	24	4	7	27	10	0

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Cincinnati ....0 0 3 0 0 1 0 0 *—4 7 0

Struck Out—By Douglass 4.

Bases on Balls—Off Vance 5; Douglass 7; off Conzelman 1; off Dale 1.

Three-Base Hit—Schang.

Stolen Base—Leach.

Double Plays—McCarthy, unassisted; Olson to Herzog to Mollwitz; Groh to Mollwitz.

Steel City Is To Enter New Trade

The beautiful steamer Steel City, one of the largest boats plying the Ohio river, passed here yesterday enroute to Chicago where it will be entered in the Chicago and New Orleans trade, running through the Chicago drainage canal, Illinois river into the Mississippi.

The boat was purchased nearly a year ago by the Chicago and Gulf Transportation company from the Ohio and Mississippi Navigation company and since that time has been at Point Pleasant undergoing repairs.

The Steel City, which was formerly the Virginia, is a sister ship to the Queen City, now tied up on account of low water. The Steel City, due to many accidents, was known as a "hoodoo" boat, but rivermen say the boat always made money for its owners.

No Transportation

Mrs. Betty Beasley, of Huntington, W. Va., has been informed that the city can not afford to provide transportation back home for her runaway boy, who is at present at the home of a West Side farmer.

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Baseball

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

National League

Cincinnati 4, Pittsburgh 2.
Chicago 4, St. Louis 2.
Brooklyn 5, New York 3.
Philadelphia-Boston; rain.

American League

Cleveland 0, Detroit 6.
St. Louis 4, Chicago 2.
Washington 3, New York 2
Boston 6, Philadelphia 6; called.

Federal League

Baltimore 6, Newark 2.
Chicago 4, Pittsburgh 3.
St. Louis-Kansas City; rain.
Buffalo-Brooklyn; rain.

American Association

Cleveland 5, Indianapolis 4.
Minneapolis 9, Milwaukee 4.
Louisville 2, Columbus 0.
Kansas City 3, St. Paul 4.

STANDING OF CLUBS

National League

	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Philadelphia	2	2	0	1.000
Cincinnati	3	2	1	.666
New York	3	2	1	.666
Chicago	3	2	1	.660
Pittsburgh	3	1	2	.333
St. Louis	3	1	2	.333
Brooklyn	3	1	2	.333
Boston	2	0	2	.000

American League

	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	3	2	1	.666
Washington	3	2	1	.666
Cleveland	3	2	1	.666
Philadelphia	2	1	1	.500
Boston	2	1	1	.500
New York	3	1	2	.333
Detroit	3	1	2	.333
St. Louis	3	1	2	.333

American Association

	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Louisville	2	2	0	1.000
Cleveland	2	1	1	.500
Indianapolis	2	1	1	.500
Minneapolis	2	1	1	.500
Milwaukee	2	1	1	.500
St. Paul	2	1	1	.500
Kansas City	2	1	1	.500
Columbus	2	0	2	.000

GAMES TODAY

National League

Pittsburgh at Cincinnati.
Brooklyn at Boston.
Philadelphia at New York.
St. Louis at Chicago.

American League

Chicago at St. Louis.
Cleveland at Detroit.
Boston at Philadelphia.
New York at Washington.

SPORTLETS

Newark International League team was sold to C. W. Medlous and George L. Solomon by Charles Ebbets yesterday. Harry Smith will manage the team.

Catcher Malloy and Outfielder Smith were released by Milwaukee yesterday.

Freddy Welsh will meet Johnny Harvey, of New York, in a twelve-round bout at Columbus April 23.

Pitcher Harry Keupper, who jumped from Bloomington to the St. Louis Feds and asked to be reinstated, cannot play in organized baseball, according to Secretary Farrell of the National Association.

Joe Rivers and Frankie Burns will meet in a return bout on April 2.

James J. Nolan has filed suit for $15,000 against Chicago Nationals, claiming that he was struck with a pop bottle at a game on August 29, 1914.

Sent To The Central

Pitcher Bill McVaugh who was with the Chillicothe club last year but who was owned by the Columbus Senators, did not land a position on that club this season. He has been sent to the Grand Rapids club of the Central league.

Has Signed 20 Players

Manager Dick Smith is evidently sincere about putting a winning team in Ironton. To date he has only signed up 20 players with many yet to be heard from.

FIXTURE AT THIRD

Yes, that's right, Heine Groh is performing skillfully at third for the Reds. It looks like he is a fixture there. Some little player this Leedle Heine.

LOCAL BOYS WIN GAME

Scout Billy Doyle was the happiest man in Portsmouth Friday night. Why the happiness? Why that's easy. Didn't Nick Carter beat the Indianapolis team and didn't Sam Jones throw the hooks into Detroit? Of course they did.

Jones relieved Hagerman and performed brilliantly for the Forest City crew against the slugging Tigers.

Pitching for the Cleveland Bearcats Nick Carter won 6 to 4. He held the wallloping Indians to six hits.

NOT STRONG FOR BRAVES

President William Gableman is not very strong for the Boston Braves. Not only does he not think that the Braves will repeat this season, but he stated last night in a fanning bee that he would not be surprised to see the famous Miracle Men finish in the second division.

Will Play Fullerton

Fullerton will hook up with Manager Warden's Shamrocks of the Peerless City Sunday afternoon at Coney Island. The following players are requested to be on the grounds at one o'clock: Fullerton, Hulswert, Holt, Wells, Webb, Paynter, Bartlett, H. Dunham, R. Dunham, Anderson, Timberlake and Braden; Shamrocks: O. Cooper, lf; Thomas, ss; Reinhard, rf; Donnihan, cf; Rivers 1b; Phillips c; Wallace 3b; Warden 2b; and Jeffords, p.

Are Pulling For Rickey

Isn't baseball the funniest old game ever? Can't dope it out. Here the Chicago White Six murder Branch Rickey's team 17 to 0 Thursday and the Browns turn right around and beat the White Sox Friday. Rickey says his team will win a lot of games this season, which is pleasing news to his many well wishers.

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Thomas and Ralph will both compete in the Indianapolis 500-mile race this season. Ralph will drive a Mercedes, his own car. Thomas will handle a Delage. Ralph and Tom are now in Indianapolis overhauling their cars for the big race.

Team Looks Stronger

In Kilefer and Griffith the Reds have evidently picked up two rattling good men. By the way these Reds look pretty well fortified in all positions this spring. Those who have seen them perform upon the green frankly admit that they look much stronger than last season.

Leach Cross Is Slipping

Now we know Leach Cross is slipping. He is going to meet Earl Fisher in a ten round bout in Cincinnati. Fisher is a third-rate fighter.

TO TRANSFER BEARCATS

It is almost a certainty that the Cleveland team will soon be transferred to Toledo. A deal to this effect has been practically closed it is claimed.

Rev. Pyle Saw Opener

(State Journal)

Rev. C. B. Pyle, who 15 years or more ago was an Ohio Wesleyan outfielder, came over from London to watch the game. He said that a search of the crowd would find quite a number of London citizens scattered about.

Rev. Pyle is well known here.

This Is Too Soft

By the way what has become of the Stephens-Herzog controversy? Why Stephens won of course. Isn't he still bossing the financial affairs of the Reds?

TO PLAY BARDEN

The Outlaws under the managership of Oscar James will go to Barden Sunday to battle with a team at that village. The Barden nine have been defeating comers this season.

Judge Newman Was At Game

(State Journal)

Supreme Court Judge Oscar Newman, who several years ago learned a great deal about baseball business affairs by his connection with the Portsmouth Ohio State League club, enjoyed immensely the entire function.

W. D. Nethaker, resident of Lancaster and another who did his share to establish the Ohio State League, came up to see the fun.

Baker And Mack Talk

Philadelphia, April 17.—Frank Baker, the "home run king," was a spectator at the Boston-Athletic game here yesterday afternoon. He had a talk with Connie Mack.

When asked if he felt like getting in the game, he replied:

"It would seem natural. You never can tell what will happen. Baseball is an uncertain game." He was given an ovation by the fans.

Sounds Like Real Champion

Jess Willard says he will fight Carl Morris if they give him $10,000 for a ten round bout. Evidently Willard is a real champion.

NOTICE

Fred Barsteth, Mrs. Barsteth, Homer Carter and Janie Carter, whose places of residence are unknown, will take notice that on the 22nd day of February, 1915, William Ross filed his petition in the Court of Common Pleas of Scioto County, Ohio, being Cause No. 13953 therein, praying for the partition and the quieting of the title and an accounting of rents and profits of certain real estate, situated in Harden Township, Scioto County, Ohio, described as follows:

"Beginning at a stone and Hickory corner to lots Nos. 46 and 61; thence with one line of Lot No. 46 north 73 degrees, west 64 poles to a stake at the southwest corner of an 80 acre tract sold to Frank Lambert; thence with said Lambert's south line south 17 degrees, west 200 poles to southwest corner of Lambert's 80 acre tract; thence south 17 degrees, east 200 poles to the place of beginning, containing 80 acres, more or less, being part of O. S. U. Lot No. 59."

Said cause will be for hearing on or after the 10th day of May, 1915.

WILLIAM ROSS, Plaintiff.
Blair & Kimble, Attorneys.
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Caught By Engines

Pinned between two tractor engines at the plant of the Heer Engine company late Friday afternoon, Elmer Harris, residing at 1223 Twelfth street, was bruised about the hips, left side and his right leg was bruised and cut. Harris was quickly removed to the Hempstead hospital, as it was first thought he had been badly injured. After his injuries were dressed he was removed to his home in Dr. Rogers' automobile. Mr. Harris was using a board as a brake on a machine, which was being pushed by another tractor engine, when they suddenly came together and Harris was caught between them. And singularly enough, Mr. Harris' brother-in-law, George Floyd, was handling the machine that bumped into the one on which Mr. Harris was using a board as a brake to prevent it from getting away from them.

Mistake Made

The Times erred in saying that Guy Hughes, who charges Charles Stilwell with assaulting him, had recently separated from his wife. Guy is numarried, and it was his brother Roy who was meant. Roy preferred the police court charge against Stilwell for his brother, however, and that is how the names became conflicted.

Woodmen Had Fine Meeting

One candidate was initiated and five applicants voted into membership at the weekly meeting of Portsmouth Camp, No. 3993, Modern Woodmen of America, Friday evening. The ritualistic work was conferred upon Isaac Shaw with impressive ceremonies, while the following were elected to membership, Ollie Adkins, A. D. Wells, William Boss, Homer McGraw and W. H. Spencer.

Members of the degree team of the Camp were entertained at dinner the evening before at the home of A. E. Putzek, of 2211 Eleventh street, where a fine six course dinner was served. After the dinner, the members spent an enjoyable evening discussing the plans for the future. Those present were Thomas C. Patterson, H. E. Puckett, P. B. Puckett, Edward Tumbleson, Howard Wood, Fred Schwartz, Burt Ferguson, Howard Mackey, Frank K. Allen, Richard Prince, William McMeans, A. E. Putzek and G. W. Putzek.

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Wants To Garden

R. Mullins, of Scintoville, wants to rent the half acre land at the new pumping station for gardening purposes. He was notified Saturday he could have it for $5 per annum.

LEGAL NOTICE

Sealed bids will be received by the Director of Public Service of the City of Portsmouth, Ohio, at the office of said Director until 12 o'clock noon, May 1, 1915, for furnishing the material for installing Water Mains, in "Rosemary" Addition, to said City of Portsmouth Ohio, in accordance with plans, specifications and estimates at City Engineer heretofore approved by City Council of said City. All bids to be F. O. B. freight allowed to Portsmouth, Ohio.

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Bidders are requested to use the printed forms which will be furnished on application. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

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'IN SPITE OF ALL'
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WEDNESDAY
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"When a Woman Waits"—2 Reels And a Keystone Comedy
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"Runaway June"
MONDAY

The Movies

Lyric Headliners For Next Week

You couldn't find a better balanced program of good pictures anywhere in the country than you will find at the Lyric next week, every day offers something exceptionally good. "The Chimes" on Monday with Tom Terriss as the star, is one of those world famous Shubert-Brady pictures. "Class A. Tap", Chas. Dickens' great dramatic tale is faithfully told with all its heart throbs and many thrills, there are five acts of it—the admission 10c. Tuesday's Paramount Feature will be that universal favorite William H. Crane in the greatest of all his plays "David Harum", the cast

WILLIAM H. CRANE
In "David Harum"

including Harold Lockwood and May Allison. This quaint old story is one of the most popular ever contributed to the American stage, and the picture is even more fascinating than the play. Come early Tuesday. In th afternoon if you can and be sure of getting in. The admission will be as usual 10 cents.

Mrs. Fiske's stirring dramatic success "In Spite Of All" is the big offering for Thursday. This splendid picture you will never forget. A powerful story of a strong man battling against the mysterious charm of a noted dancer, an extraordinary theme, handled in a masterful manner so as to bring out all the wonderful witchery of an extraordinary

Anita Stewart and Earle Williams will be with us Friday in a top-notch Vitagraph feature called "From Headquarters". These royal favorites need no commendation, they are the best in the business and everything they appear in is sure to be very, very good. "Killed Against Oorders," a three part feature for Saturday is another picture that will set the pace for real interest and sensation.

Many Good Things At The Columbia

The Columbia certainly offers some very choice pictures during the next few days. The program for tonight is an interesting three reel Broadway Star Feature direct from the Vitagraph theatre, New York. It is a military picture with the scenes beginning at the West Point Military Academy and terminating in the wilds of Arizona. The title of this feature is "Lifting the Ban of Coventry," and it is produced by a Vitagraph company of more than twenty stars including such well known people as Lillian Walker, Darwyn Karr and Julia Swayne Gordon.

Francis X. Bushman, known as the most popular man in motion pictures will be with us on Monday supported by Miss Beverly Bayne, another picture favorite in Portsmouth, in a beautiful three reel story of the north woods entitled "The Great Silence."

This is spoken of as one of Bushman's best pictures and you can't afford to miss it.

For Wednesday Manager Tynes announces "Officer 666," one of the greatest comedies ever written, as well as one of the most successful plays ever presented. In this great picture of six interesting parts, almost all of the original stage company are used, and it is a picture way above the average.

Lillian Russell acknowledged as the most beautiful woman on the American stage will be seen on Thursday in "Wildfire" a racing sensation in five parts.

Every lady in Portsmouth should see this picture, as Miss Russell actually wears more than twenty beautiful gowns during the picture, in fact she does not appear on the screen twice in the same gown.

The race scene in the last reel is a reproduction of the famous Kentucky Derby, as it was run at Louisville last May.

At The Exhibit

"When a Woman Waits" is a two-reel feature that is being offered as the Saturday night attraction at the Exhibit theatre. This is a good picture in itself, and one which, with special music, such as is offered by Manager Law's orchestra, makes a big five-cent program. But on top of this Manager Law is offering a Keystone comedy, the favorites of the moving picture world.

Monday will be shown another installment of Runaway June.

At The Temple Theatre

Tonight's program is a two reel Majestic comedy drama starring Dorothy Gish, as a misguided young reformer. The cast is composed of Dorothy Gish, Cora Drew, W. E. Lawrence, James Gorman. The third and fourth reels are entitled "The Cipher Code" in the $20,000,000 mine mystery. It is a drama of love and adventure. Every episode of this remarkable series of photoplays is a revelation of new thrills and new surprises.

The Arcana

"Three Bad Men and a Girl" is one of those gallivantin' comedies that simply makes one howl from initial flesh to censorship tag. The whole play is an exceedingly clever satire on the more or less impossible western dramas which now have about finished their vogue. The public seems to have tired of extravagant western films delineating the extraordinary adventures of a hero and heroine who never were or never could be. A saner era has set in and no better indication of that fact could be found than the roars of laughter which greeted the "Three Bad Men and a Girl" upon its first presentation to a select audience in New York. It is considered the cleverest farce that ever came east. It is produced by the 101 Bison people and featuring Grace Cunard and Francis Ford.

"How Doctor Cupid Won," a one-reeler and a Nestor make is also a winner. Mr. Potts, the manager of the Arcana, will show the above pictures in his theatre for today only for the admission price of five cents, which he can afford to do, owing to the large crowd that will see the pictures. Come early and get a good seat.

THEATRICAL

The New Sun theatre is especially fortunate in being able to secure the Billy West Musical Comedy company for an indefinite run. Preparations are being made now for the opening Monday, April 19. This is the largest musical comedy company that has appeared in Portsmouth this season, and will rank well with any of the dollar and half or two dollar attractions.

The show for the past season has been carrying 25 people, and has been known as one of the biggest box office attractions on the road, being the first and only musical comedy company that ever made a parade in automobiles in each city in which the company appeared.

The company comes intact to Portsmouth with twenty-five people including a Broadway cast of principals, their own musical director, electrician for the scenic and spectacular effects, and their own crew of stage carpenters.

"The Topsey Turvey Honeymoon company appearing at the Gordon theatre, this city, is without doubt one of the best all around musical comedy companies that ever appeared in this city, while not featuring any star in particular, the entire company is made up of talented artists. The singing numbers are especially good. Chorus well drilled, the girls attractive, the comedy clever and not overdone and the principals equal to every occasion."

The above complimentary notice was given by a St. Louis paper.

SOCIETY

Last evening, at Damaria hall, the business girls of the Y. W. C. A. and many others participated in one of their suppers at six o'clock, when Miss Harriet Harrison, field secretary of the Y. W. C. A., was given a hearty welcome. After supper Miss Harrison gave an instructive and very interesting talk. She thinks what work has been done in Portsmouth has been well done, but the Y. W. C. A. of this city needs more women to become interested and take an active part in the work. Miss Harrison will leave April 28th for Los Angeles, Cal., to attend the Biennial meeting of the Y. W. C. A.

The menu last evening consisted of baked beans, sandwiches, olives, pickles, orange marmelade, rolls, ice cream, cake and coffee. Those present were as follows:

Misses Marie Gilben, Adah Wilson, Ethel Blum, Mary Phillippi, May Stewart, Lena Thompson, Lucie Barber, Ruth Barber, Bertha Pray, Anna Zeisler, Ona Lindsey, Mrs. Davis, Lena Huber, Nellie Locher, Grace Johnson, Grace McNamara, Margaretta Kugelman, Columbia Glockner, Bertha Griver, Belle Hitchcock, Rose Bentine, Florence Busler, Pearl Stanley, Edna Strickland, Mae Skaggs, Mary Murphy, Inez Starcher, Iva Henry, Hattie Tatman, Hattie Robinson, Meredith Morrison, Grace Robinson, Mrs. Lucy Schleifer, Louise Eastman, Mary E. Parsell, Harriet Harrison, Anna S. F. Hennings, Elsie Hosey, Myrtle Bridges, Sophie Koske, Lulu Rigdon, Nola Hosey, Emma Schmid, Mary A. Miller, Anna Ducwel, Ida Stock, Emma Johnston, Myrtle Ziegler, Maud Ziegler, Agnes Rayburn, Ida Taylor, Mary Fisher, Lucile Bender, Thelma Crain, Verna Reider, Ruth Staut, Jennie M. Schumacher, Grace Van Horn, Olga Thorman, Ada Kress, Jess Milstead, Janet Beasley, Anna McCarty, Sadie McGovern, Lenore Hartshorn, Leona McCann, Ruth Jeffers, Bertha Clausing, Maggie Johnson, Grace Boyles, Carrie Robinson, Margaret Dayerl, Ada Lutz, Goldie Patton, Mrs. Retta Smith, of McDermott, Katherine Moeller, Clara Milhuff, and the committee in charge, Misses Emma Hotz, Anna Pastenau, Ruth Wilson, Lulu Puckett, Virginia Criscoberry, Elizabeth Farmer, Clara Kugelman, Stella Day, Nellie Holzman, Mrs. W. Severs, Mary McGregor, Edith Burke, Grace Burke, Elsie Tipton and Nelle Craigmiles.

The Careful Crusaders' Class of Kendall Avenue Sunday school will hold the regular monthly meeting Monday evening at the home of Mr. Cecil Cottle, on Eighth stret. All members are urged to be present.

Mrs. William Swabby, of Grandview avenue, had as guests yesterday and today Mrs. Agnes Ault, of Wakefield, and Mrs. F. W. Nagel, of Wheelersburg.

The X. Y. Z. club held an enjoyable meeting last evening at the home of John Blum, on Seventeenth street, where there were seventeen present. The evening's pleasures consisted of an up-to-date exposition and various April fool stunts. The next regular meeting will be held at the home of John Easterday, May 6th. An outing will be held in the near future.

A number of friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oregon Evans, in Sciotoville Friday noon for a surprise party on Mrs. Evans, in honor of her birthday anniversary. All brought well-filled baskets and a number of useful presents. Those present were Mrs. William Stiles, Mrs. George Bender and daughter Genevieve, Mrs. George Clark, Mrs. Kate Rowley, Mrs. Alla Evans, Mrs. Edgar Jones and daughters Irene and Ruth, Mrs. Lillian Bush, Mrs. Charles Buckley, Mrs Eva Reynolds, Mrs. Roscoe Buckley and son Donald, Mrs. James Barnett and Mrs. Samuel Pyle and children Selma and Carl.

Leo Weber, of 1732 Twelfth street left Saturday for Columbus to spend Sunday with relatives.

Mrs. Ella Mae Smith, president of the Woman's Music Club, of Columbus, a club of 4000 members the largest music club in the world, will lecture Monday afternoon before the Ladies Musicale at the high school auditorium at 2:30 o'clock, to be followed by a tea at the home of the president, Miss Edna Marting, in Sunnyside, to which all active and associate members and their friends are invited. Mrs. Smith has been president for years of the large club in Columbus and the large membership is due to the great interest taken by Mrs. Smith and her untiring work. James C. Freund, of New York, editor of Musical America, has laid much stress on Americans studying voice and piano in their own country as United States is one of the foremost musical countries in the world. Many noted teachers of the old country have recently come to the United States to teach. Mrs. Smith's topic will be "Working up the Woman's Music Club in Columbus."

Mrs. H. C. Bugh will sing a solo, "Just As I Am" by C. B. Hawley, Sunday evening at the Second Presbyterian church.

FOUL PLAY CLAIMS THE THIRD VICTIM

L. Archie Howley, aged 24 years, a switchman died at Spears hospital, Covington, Ky., Friday night, a few hours after he was assaulted in the C. & O. yards at Silver Grove. Knocked from a car, run over, his right leg was cut off at the ankle, his left leg just below the knee and both shoulder blades and his skull fractured.

Howley is the third victim of foul play at the Silver Grove yards within a year. Cleveland Kemp and Leslie Johnson, both detectives in the employ of the railroad were murdered within the past twelve months and the mystery surrounding their deaths has never been solved.

It is claimed Howley had climbed up the side of a car, which was in motion, and found it occupied by three men who looked like foreigners. One of them struck him, it is claimed.

Howley was considered a very important witness in the Johnson case and Coroner Digby is of the opinion that some one who might have had interest in keeping Howley's lips sealed had a hand in the murder.

"NOBODY FEARS HUERTA NOW," SAYS VILLA REPRESENTATIVE IN NEW YORK

Victoriano Huerta (photographed in New York).

While General Villa is said to have protested against the action of the United States government in permitting ex-Dictator Huerta to land in New York, Villa's representative in that city denies that the Villistas object to the presence of Huerta in this country. "He is politically dead," said this representative. "He has no influence anywhere."

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SONS OF VETERANS DIST. MEETING PROVES A DECIDED SUCCESS WITH PATRIOTISM A PROMINENT FACTOR

Patriotism was the key-note of the enjoyable program given on Friday evening by Vienna Camp, Sons of Veterans, and its auxiliary organization, with members of neighboring camps, the G. A. R., Women's Relief Corps, and Spanish-American war veterans, as especially invited guests. A large number of visitors were also present.

Added interest was given to the meeting from the fact that Commander Aughinbaugh of the Ohio Division, and Secretary Shiery were present and delivered interesting talks. Their presence did much to revive interest in the organization, and kindle the spark of patriotism in all present.

The hall at Fifth and Chillicothe streets was well filled with men and women, who enjoyed the interesting program and the refreshments that followed.

For several minutes prior to the opening of the meeting, the Sons of Veterans' drum corps played inspiring martial music at the bottom of the stairs, which attracted passersby and helped swell the crowd present.

Bugler V. E. Martin opened the evening's program with the assembly call. John Skelton, commander of Vienna Camp, in a brief speech, introduced the chairman of the evening, George S. Carroll, who responded in a witty vein.

Judge Thomas Welcomes Guests

The address of welcome to the visiting members and guests was made by Judge Jas. S. Thomas, whose speech was one of the most inspiring of the evening. He spoke of the feeling of cordiality and welcome that is always prevalent in Portsmouth, and stated that few cities in the United States equalled this city in the warmth and sincerity of the greeting to outsiders.

Judge Thomas said that he regretted the apparent absence of that spirit of patriotism and loyalty to the patriotic societies which was manifest in former years, and urged every one present to determine to be more loyal to the country's institutions than ever before.

In conclusion, Judge Thomas said: "I am not a man given to writing letters, nor do I believe in making public everything I write, but when I read of the recent outrage at New York City, during which the United States flag was trampled under foot, I was tempted to write to President Wilson and urge him to take decisive action in the matter."

Following Judge Thomas' address, Miss Blanche Bradford favored with a pleasing solo, "Face To Face," which was enthusiastically applauded.

Capt. Milstead Gives Address

Captain Cread S. Milstead, commander of Bailey Post, G. A. R., was the next speaker introduced. In the beginning, he entertained the audience with a series of anecdotes based on his experiences as a traveling salesman, which were hugely enjoyed. Toward the close of his brief remarks, he urged more frequent get-together meetings of the patriotic societies of the city, which he maintained, would promote the patriotic feeling all over the city. On behalf of the G. A. R. veterans, who occupied the front rows, he expressed appreciation for the invitation to the evening's program.

Capt. Milstead was followed by Harry W. Mathiott, commander of the Spanish-American veterans, whose sentiments were closely akin to those of the speaker who preceded him.

The two little daughters of Mr. and Mrs. David Scott made a big hit with the audience with their recitation of "Just Before The Battle, Mother," with piano accompaniment by Miss Bradford.

Mr. Musser Speaks

Filmore Musser was introduced as a former commander of the Ohio Division, Sons of Veterans, and received an enthusiastic reception as he arose to speak. Mr. Musser commended highly the patriotic societies of the city that are keeping aflame the spirit of loyalty to country and flag, and added that they should receive the greatest encouragement from the people of all classes.

In the absence of Mrs. Puntenny, of the Women's Relief Corps, Mrs. Lena Kline Reed gave a selected reading, appropriate to the occasion, which was well received.

Harry Porter, the man who is winning fame all over the city as an imitator of animals, added fresh laurels to his reputation by his rapid fire monologue, punctuated by imitations of animal sounds that had the audience convulsed in laughter.

Frank B. Pratt, one of the Spanish-American war veterans present, was called upon for a short talk. Mr. Pratt urged the adoption in Ohio of a practice in Pennsylvania, where the school children salute the U. S. flag on their way in and out of the school room.

Commander Gives Address

Commander Aughinbaugh was then asked to address the assemblage. He opened by saying that while Pennsylvania had the greatest number of Sons of Veterans enrolled, Ohio had made the greatest gain of any division in the country during the past quarter. He prophesied that the state would in time take front rank among the divisions of the country.

"Each Camp should make itself felt in the community as a factor for public good. The members should lay aside all their personal differences, and work together in harmony. Every eligible man in the community should be enrolled in membership.

"At times, I have felt that the Ohio Division was not growing as it should, but when I see a gathering like this, which is similar to others which I have attended in the past few weeks, I am encouraged with the prospect. While it is not growing numerically as it should, the spirit among the members is increasing, and I look to the time when the Sons of Veterans will be second only to the G. A. R. in the furtherance of patriotic principles. Upon the shoulders of the Sons of Veterans should be carried the burden that the G. A. R. has carried for the past fifty years. Not sentiment, alone, but real purpose should dominate our efforts."

Commander Aughinbaugh spoke of the privilege that the people of this country enjoy, while the nations of Europe are at each other's throats in battle array, and urged the members to ever promote the cause of peace.

In conclusion, he praised Vienna Camp for the headway it has made and the reputation it has sustained and also praised its publicity agent, Harry M. Sickles, who, he said, had the right idea of keeping the public advised of the purposes and aims of the organization.

Mr. Shiery Gives Address

Similar sentiments were uttered by the secretary, J. Edgar Shiery who stated that the Ohio division was constantly growing in membership and influence. He said that the report at Mansfield next June would be the best in years, and that new Camps were being instituted every week. He also pleaded for harmony of action, and stated that the time was coming when the Sons of Veterans would have to take the place of their fathers, the G. A. R. veterans in the upholding of the principles of patriotism and loyalty in this country.

Both Commander Aughinbaugh and Secretary Shiery expressed their appreciation of their cordial treatment, and said that they enjoyed their visit to this city as much as they have made. Commander Aughinbaugh was entertained at the home of Judge and Mrs. T. C. Beatty, while Secretary Shiery was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sickles.

Judge Thomas C. Beatty, when called upon for a few remarks, told of his visit to Arlington cemetery near Washington, D. C., and of the feeling that took hold of him as he stood in front of the grave of the nameless soldiers who fell in the great war of the rebellion. He spoke feelingly of the old Boys in Blue, and said that their memories would be cherished by future generations as one of the most priceless heritages that had been handed down to them.

Atty. Gilliland Closes Program

Attorney N. B. Gilliland, a member of Harrisonville Camp, closed the speaking program with an eloquent tribute to the brave women who remained home while their husbands and fathers went to the front. He pictured the hardships and privations suffered by these brave women in a most effective manner. Brief response was also made by Mrs. L. L. Beck, a member of the W. R. C.

During the closing speeches, refreshments of ice cream and cake were served by the committee in charge of arrangements. A vote of thanks was tendered this committee before adjournment, which consisted of the following members: S. O. V., Harry M. Sickles, Dr. O. D. Donaldson, Charles C. Bennett, John R. Skelton and Simpson D. Eckhart; Ladies' Auxiliary, Mesdames Harry W. Mathiott, Henry W. Fairtrace, John R. Skelton and Miss Blanche Bradford.

After the program was over, the state officers and members of Vienna Camp repaired to the latter's hall, where matters of interest to the camp and organization generally were discussed. Commander Aughinbaugh and Secretary Shiery left Saturday morning for West Union, where a new camp will be mustered in this evening.

Delegations from Scioto Camp, No. 16, of Harrisonville, John A. Logan Camp No. 44, of Friendship, and No. 66, of Wilgus, were present. Among those from Harrisonville Camp were William Thompson Nate B. Gilliland and John B. Dever. The Friendship delegation was headed by Capt. Edward Warren, who was accompanied by Albert Pyles, James Thatcher and Floyd Lavender. Some of the ladies of the visitors accompanied them.

Another distinguished visitor was Capt. James O. McManis of West Union, who came up to meet the state officers on their way to his town to muster in a new camp.

After the big camp fire meeting in Ben Hur hall was over, Vienna camp, their distinguished visitors, the visiting Sons of Veterans, and a goodly number of comrades of the G. A. R., adjourned to the Sons of Veterans hall in the Selby building, corner Gallia and Findlay streets, where Division T. L. Aughinbaugh of New Philadelphia, and Division Secretary J. Edgar Shiery of Springfield, were formally and strenuously made full fledged High Priests in the Royal Order of Bolo to the Great Kwan, a distinction they are very proud to bear. Both gentlemen who are not only high up in the order of Sons of Veterans, but very prominent in the Masonic, K. of P., I. O. O. F., Red Men, and other orders, expressed doubt of there being anything new in lodge doings that they were not "next" to and the fellows here were willing to show 'em some real new stunts—and did they?—well, ask Dr. O. D. Donaldson or Dr. Dan Dodge, who gave first aid to the injured, while the other fellows are smiling a wide smile that won't come off in several "moons."

Secretary J. Edgar Shiery was the first "victim," and "Jay," who is one of the livest wires in all the great Ohio Division, candidly admitted after the "proceedings" that the going was "sure rough," the "hot sands" hot, the "goat on wheels" some ride, while he would "feel the smart of where the big snake bit him and smell those awful, awful eggs for months to come." He also expressed his pleasure at making the acquaintance of the imps, witches, animals and reptiles along the "mystic way."

Commander Aughinbaugh, who had been held under guard in an anteroom while Mr. Shiery was being "initiated," was then brought in. There wasn't as much of him to work on, he being much smaller physically than Shiery, but, he too, proved a splendid candidate, taking all the degrees, trimmings "and refreshments" along the way with flying colors, although the "rat in the stew" and those unstable seats "floored" him. After the work was over both gentlemen expressed their appreciation. They promised the fellows here that when they came to Mansfield to the Division Encampment, or up state for a visit, they would see that something real nice and warm was prepared for them.

After the initiation a delightful social time was had. Many good stories were told, and H. T. Fairtrace, the Hermann of the camp, did some sleight of hand stunts that brought down the house. Secretary Shiery got in this game, also, and worked a "plate trick" on the boys that was positively—well— rotten! Jim Thatcher of No. 44, and "Bill" Thompson of No. 16, are laughing still over that plate "sell."

The fun was kept up to the wee sma' hours and only ended when Commander Aughinbaugh was whisked off in Prof. "Samp" Eckhart's auto to catch the morning train for Columbus. Secretary Shiery remained until 8:30 when he left with Mr. J. O. McManis for West Union, where tonight he will muster in a good camp there. From West Union tonight he will go to Cincinnati, thence to Springfield, where he said he was due tomorrow morning, as he has to fill an engagement at First Lutheran church, of which he is an officer.

Notes

Through the kindness of Judge T. C. Beatty, who turned his touring car over to the committee for Friday afternoon, Commander Aughinbaugh and Secretary Shiery were shown all over Portsmouth and suburbs. Both gentlemen were enthusiastic in their praise of our splendid streets, the beautiful new school buildings, the fine Excelsior shoe factory, and other "show" places. The Holy Redeemer church was pronounced superb, and both were enraptured with the beauty of the Ohio and "Our" Kentucky hills. They were also shown over the Times plant and much impressed with its completeness, but Mr. Shiery said "they had one in his town that had all others backed off the earth." Huh! ("Dern" that Springfield burg, anyway). The new First National Bank, and the Great White Way also impressed the visitors, while even "Bill" Gableman's Play House was pronounced some place.

Commander T. L. Aughinbaugh, who is cashier of the First National Bank in New Philadelphia, and prominent in his city, was less than five years ago mustered into Henry Kaldenbaugh Camp No. 5. Since then he has served as Commander of his Camp, Sen. Vice Commander of Division and now as Division Commander, a rise in the order unprecedented. He is a splendid gentleman and exceedingly popular with the boys. Under his administration the Ohio Division is "coming" by leaps and bounds.

Secretary J. Edgar Shiery of Springfield is connected with the American Seed Drill Mfg. Co., which employs 3500 people, and whose recent "shut down" has caused much depression. "Jay" is serving his third three-year term as secretary of Ohio Division, is a hustler, deservedly popular, and one of the best "mixers" in Ohio Division. He will be re-elected at Mansfield by a big majority.

During their visit to the Times they met "Shonk," a member of Vienna Camp, and Commander Aughinbaugh requested that if he drew his picture to leave off the head, as he has a head of hair something on the order of our Fred Tynes. Shonk promised to be good.

Both visitors asked to meet Miss Dollie Wise, as they have been reading her splendid column in the papers sent them, and both were presented to that charming young lady. By the way, Mr. Shiery is a bachelor, well-to-do, has fine home, and also summer cottage out on classic Mad river. He's young, too. There may be 'nother story bye and bye.

Secretary Shiery while here mailed at least twenty-five post cards and several letters to different cities over the state. In each and every one there was a good strong boost for Portsmouth as a live hustling city, and a word of appreciation of the splendid welcome accorded them here.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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The big class starts on the second lesson on David tomorrow morning in their class room in the Trinity church basement. This series of ten lessons on this great Bible character is proving most interesting as one hundred and ninety men were present last Sunday and fully two hundred are expected tomorrow. David was probably the greatest character of the Old Testament and his name appears in the Bible a greater number of times than any other person except Christ. The historical information that one gets from these lessons is well worth the effort of attending and will interest men in any walk in life.

The Pilgrim Singers will make their reappearance tomorrow after a long "lay off" and will delight the class with some splendid singing. Any man not attending a regular class drop in tomorrow at 9 o'clock at their class room in basement and spend a happy hour with the men. Take Offnere street entrance.

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"Why didn't he recently make a 'chocolate drop.'". Then you call the undertaker.

Miners Disgruntled With New Law

Judge A. T. Holcomb said Saturday that over 40 miners employed at the Buckhorn Coal Co.'s plant, Lawrence county, were refusing to work under the new Green screen law provisions.

"The men are not exactly striking but are clamoring for a return to former conditions, they preferring the old fashioned way of getting paid by the lump at $1 per ton," said the judge, who is president of the company. Under the "screen" law the miners collectively are losing on an average of $32 per day while the company is placed at the disadvantage of being forced to employ a double number of weighers and have twice the number of scales and stoppages so that the little extra profit it has under the changed conditions really amounts to naught. The men are unanimously in favor of the old method and so is the firm which is anxiously awaiting the action of the present legislature which is seeking to allow the Green bill to stand with the single change of making it optional with the operators and miners by district vote, each district to determine what plan is best suited to its conditions.

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Bye! Bye! Compton.

Le Roy Compton expects to leave Monday or Tuesday for Atlanta, Ga., to enter upon his new position with a large photo supply house in Atlanta, Ga.

Went Fishing.

William White, Sinton street, went up the Scioto river Friday on his first fishing trip of the season.

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Rev. Cartwright Is To Be Installed

Rev. Bliss B. Cartwright, pastor of the Central Presbyterian church, will be publicly installed on Tuesday evening, April 20th, at 7:30 p. m. Rev. Edwin D. Townsend, of the First Presbyterian church of Ironton, will deliver the installation sermon. Rev. Mr. Townsend is a college friend of Rev. Cartwright.

Rev. S. D. Conger will give the charge to the minister, while Rev. John W. Dunning, of the First Presbyterian church, will give the charge to the people of the church. The public is cordially invited to attend the installing exercises.

NOSE BROKEN IN FALL FROM A STEP LADDER

Frank Hall, a Cleveland young man, homeless and unemployed, succeeded in finding a few hours' work at the Conger Printing Company's plant, 531 Front street, only to meet with an accident.

Hall had been engaged to wash the windows of the plant, when he lost his balance and fell from a step-ladder, landing on his face, which was badly cut and bruised. His nose was broken. Dr. W. E. Gault was called to attend the injured man and City Physician Dr. Charles Wendelken later had him removed to Hempstead hospital in Lyne's ambulance.

Gets A Divorce

Minnie B. Edminston, city, was awarded a decree of divorce by Judge Thomas in common pleas court Saturday from Theodore Edminston, on the grounds of extreme cruelty and neglect.

She testified that her husband deserted her and their children more than a year ago, since which time and for some time prior, she was compelled to take in washings to support them.

The couple were married October 1902, and have three children, the oldest of whom is eleven years. Edminston is a plasterer by trade and is now located in Florida, his wife says. They formerly lived on Kinney's Lane. The wife was also given custody of the children.

Company Warned

The John H. McGowan company, of Cincinnati, has been advised by the city to be cautious and have all its equipment match up before starting to install a serge tank at the new pumping station and thereby guard against a suspension of the plant longer than two days, or the time required to consume water held in reserve at the reservoir.

Verdict For The Plaintiff

Verdict for the plaintiff has been announced by Judge Thomas in the case of Maggie Basham against Charles E. Mershon, a suit involving the line between their properties on Pond Creek.

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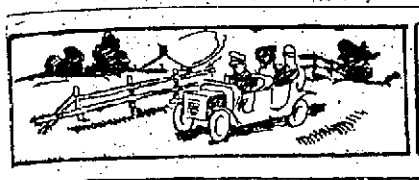

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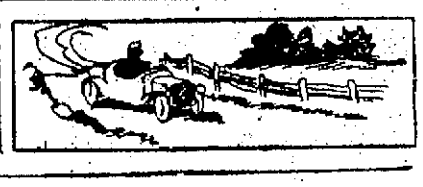
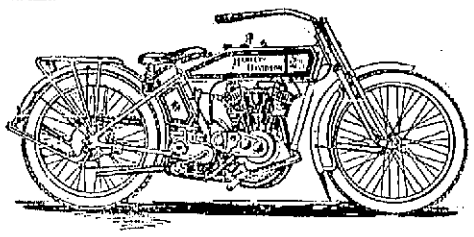


MASTER DRIVER SIGNS FOR HOOSIER RACE

Seeking new worlds to conquer, Barney Oldfield, the World's master driver, has severed his connection with the Maxwell racing team, and signed to drive Charles Fuller's Bugatti in the next Indianapolis 500-mile race. The Bugatti is a foreign car, built in war-swept Alsace-Lorraine, now once again French territory. It is said to be tremendously fast, just the kind of car Barney dotes on in a hard contest. The outcome of Barney's adventure with his new mount will be the subject of much interested discussion.



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Youths Design A Clever Automobile

Portsmouth boasts of two young automobile designers and manufacturers in embryo, who, perhaps will be the Henry Ford or Hugh Chalmers of the coming generation. Raymond and Howard Kah, sons of John E. Kah, of 609 Seventh street, are hard at work on an auto runabout, which they hope to have assembled and in running order in time to enjoy the spring and summer season.

The four wheels were taken from old motorcycles, and assembled in a chassis of home construction. On top of this chassis has been placed the body of the car, manufactured out of an old frame bed, which has been made durable and at the same time not unsightly. On Friday, an eight H. P. engine, taken from an old motorcycle, was installed in the front of the car, and only the steering apparatus remains to be perfected. Raymond who is the boss manufacturer of the duo says he will have this in working order within the next week or so. The automobile is a chain drive.

Residents in the vicinity of the Kah home are eagerly awaiting the initial appearance of the Kah car, while the two boys are also looking forward with much anticipation to the time when they will ride in a car of their own construction.

MANY OVERLANDS SOLD

Practically the entire stock of 1915 cars alloted to F. E. Bower, the local Overland agent, has been sold. All records for one season have been broken by Mr. Bower. He has an Overland "6," a coupe and a Model 80 left on hands and has prospective purchasers for these, so his entire stock is practically sold.

HAVE FINE GARAGE

Massa and Oakes have attained a high state of perfection in the handling of automobile repair work. They have completed the installment of modern machinery and have it in perfection operation. Since opening their garage on Gallia street, opposite the N. & W. freight house, they have enjoyed a splendid business and their new venture promises to be a decided sucess.

Services At Free Will Baptist Ch.

Rev. C. L. Diamond is still holding revival services at the Free Will Baptist church on East Front street. Seventy-five have been baptized, and the church now has a membership of eighty or more. The Sunday school is progressing nicely; thirty are enrolled in the Bible class, twelve in the young boys' class, and 10 or 12 in the infant class.

There were four at the mourners' bench last evening. Our little church is poor and the people we are laboring to save are poor. The Christian people are cordially invited to our meetings. Your presence would be a material help toward bringing some poor soul to God. Services each evening at seven o'clock. Sunday school at 10 o'clock a. m.

A MUCH INTERESTED MEMBER.

JAIL SENTENCE THAWS OUT ROBERT MITCHELL

Upon his agreement to answer certain questions, which he had refused to answer a few days before, Robert Mitchell, husband of Mayme C. Mitchell, was released from the county jail Saturday morning. Mrs. Mitchell is suing Bird Garthee for $5000 damages for alleged selling liquor to her husband after she had asked him not to do so. The deposition of the husband was desired, but when brought before Harry Ball, a notary, by the wife's attorneys, Blair and Kimble, he refused to answer the questions put to him. Persistent refusal landed him in jail on a contempt charge.

Babes In Belgium In Need Of Milk

On Friday, April 23rd the people of this county will receive through a lecture by John E. McCreben, assistant secretary for the Ohio Commission for the relief of European war sufferers, their first direct knowledge of the needs of suffering Europe, and particularly of the aid which this country can supply. Mr. McCreben's lecture will be illustrated by more than 100 lantern slides taken directly from war photographs in Belgium and northern France. Mr. McCreben is now on a tour of the principal cities of the state giving his lecture under the auspices of the county organizations in each instance. From his intimate acquaintance with the work conducted by the Ohio Association at its headquarters in Columbus, he will be able to tell the people of this country not alone what has been done, but how much more remains to be done. It is stated on the highest authority that unless the United States continues and even increases its contribution to Belgium a large number of its people will absolutely die of starvation.

The Babes of Belgium

Sixty thousand babies have been born in Belgium since last August. The mothers are so reduced by privation that they have no milk of their own, and as for cows' milk, it is not to be had for any money.

The supply of condensed milk ran short long ago. Milk is a necessity to most civilized children between the ages of one and two years. The average young child must have milk or he will die. And there is no milk.

An American in Belgium stood one morning by the back door of a German cook camp, watching a group of Belgian women grubbing through the trash-heap piled up back of the camp. All the women carried babies.

"What are they doing?" he asked of a German sergeant with whom he had struck up an acquaintance.

"Scraping our condensed milk cans," he said. "It's the only way to get milk for their babies. I've seen them run their fingers round the inside of a can that looked as bright as a new coin, and hold them in the babies' mouths to suck. My company," he added, "has been getting along without milk in its coffee and giving it to these women. We've received no orders to the contrary, and most of us are family men ourselves."

This is the picture of Belgium today.

You, who have your own little ones in peace and plenty, help these or they must die.

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Roy Hughes, local young man, was brought before Judge Beatty again Saturday morning on a charge of failure to provide for his wife. He was dismissed after a stiff lecture upon his promise to contribute to her support.

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Abused Wife

John Bush, a colored barber of the North End, was brought before Judge Beatty Saturday morning on a charge of abusing his wife. He admitted his guilt and was lodged in jail pending sentence.

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P. R. Hough, formerly assistant manager of the Denver Branch and Assembly Plant of the Ford Motor Company, has joined the sales staff of Dodge Brothers as district salesman. Mr. Hough will be stationed at Omaha and will assist District Representative O. L. Hurst in looking after Dodge Brothers' interests in that section.

To Play Baseball

Harry Carver left Saturday afternoon for Grand Forks, N. D., where he will play professional ball this season. Carver is one of the best players ever turned out locally and is friends here expect to hear great things of him this summer. Carver will play the infield and will also probably take up his position on the mound at certain intervals.

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Sells An Overland

F. E. Bower, the hustling local agent, has sold a Model 81 touring car to Miss Blanche Stokley. Miss Stokley is employed in Supt. Frank Appel's office at the high school.

Uniform Course

History was the subject taken up at the regular meeting of the district superintendents in the office of E. O. McCowen, the county superintendent, Saturday. The school authorities are endeavoring to decide upon a uniform course of study for the rural schools of the county.

Refused Decree

The divorce petition of Belle Ellis against Alfred Ellis, her husband, was dismissed Saturday morning by Judge Thomas in common pleas court, and a decree refused. George W. Sheppard was plaintiff's attorney.

Smith Will

The will of William H. Smith, late second hand dealer of this city, was admitted to probate by Judge Beatty Saturday morning. All of the property was bequeathed to the widow, Emma E. Smith, who was named as executrix.

Common Failing.

"We allus magnifies de importance of our own doin's," said Uncle Eben. "A man wif a funny story on his mind imagines dat everybody ought to stop work and listen."

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Sunday Services

SERMONS AND SERVICES AT THE VARIOUS CHURCHES

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN
Court and Third Streets
John Wirt Dunning, Minister

All regular services will be held tomorrow. Bible school meets at nine o'clock. The attendance last year was 412. The school is nearing 500. Every teacher and scholar be on hand tomorrow. Adult department meets at same hour. Men's class study will be in the Twenty-third Psalm. All men are invited.

Morning worship at ten-thirty. The pastor will speak on the subject, "Where Ignorance is Bliss."

Christian Endeavor at six. The topic is "One Day In Seven for Holy Things." All young people are invited.

Evening worship at seven. The pastor will begin a series of four sermons on personality, "The Windows of the Soul." These will discuss the Memory, the Will, the Imagination and the Affections. The first tomorrow night will be on "Memory," and will show the religious and Christian significance of this most wonderful of all the windows of the soul. The usual fine program of music will be given at this service. The music for tomorrow will be:

—Morning—

Prelude—Melody—Dalcroze.

Offertory—Tranquility—Clegg.

Quartette, "He That Dwelleth In the Secret Place"—(Wilson)—Mr. Boyd, Miss Berry, Mrs. Storck, Mr. Schwartz.

Solo, "These Are They." (from "Holy City"—Gaul—Miss Berry.

—Evening—

Prelude—Prelude in B Flat—Ashmall.

Offertory, Meditation, from "Thais"—Massanet.

Male Quartette, "Sweet Sabbath Eve"—(Parks)—Mr. Boyd, Mr. Lorey, Mr. Kinsey, Mr. Schwartz.

Solo, "Like As a Hart Panteth"—(Fluxington Harker)—Miss Berry.

Anthem, "Remember Now Thy Creator"— (Adams) — Mr. Boyd, Miss Berry, Mrs. Storck, Mr. Schwartz.

SECOND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Dr. Selby E. Vance, of Lane Seminary, will occupy the pulpit both morning and evening.

Sabbath school at 9 a. m. All persons not affiliated with Sunday school work elsewhere in the city will find room and a hearty welcome in every department. The two men's classes and three women's classes in the adult department offers a fine opportunity for study and fellowship. Come and prove it.

The mid-week service on Wednesday evening, at 7:15, is open to all.

Following is the music for the day:

—Morning—

Opening Voluntary—Evensong—Edward L. Johnston.

Offertoire—Gavotte—Thomas.

Postlude—Marcho Religieuse — Alexander Guilmant.

—Evening—

Prelude—Spring Song—Mendelssohn.

Offertoire, The Sandman (a lullaby)—John Carver Alden.

Postlude—Marche Solennelle—J. Callaerts.

CENTRAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Chillicothe and Seventh
B. B. Cartwright, Pastor.

Sabbath school at 9 a. m., J. J. Brandel superintendent.

Sermon theme, "Constraining Love," at 10 a. m.

Installation of Ruling Elders and Deacons at the close of the sermon. Special music.

Evening sermon at 7 o'clock. Subject, "The Work of Today." Public cordially invited.

BIGELOW M. E. CHURCH,
A. R. Connell, Pastor.
503 Washington Street.

Sunday school at nine o'clock. A large attendance is anticipated. Let all our people resolve that the attendance this Sunday shall be a record-breaker. Be there.

"Changeless Facts in a Changing World" is the subject of the pastor's morning sermon. This is a special sermon preached upon a special and timely theme, and will no doubt prove one of the most interesting that Rev. Connell has as yet delivered.

Brief, bright evangelistic service in the evening at seven o'clock. We earnestly entreat our own people to set a good example to the non-church going by being faithful in the matter of church attendance. Stay at home, if you have an excuse for not coming which you would not be ashamed to offer your Lord and Master, were you to meet Him personally. Otherwise, do your whole Christian duty by yourself as well as for the sake of others. Do not wilfully neglect the Means of Grace.

At our mid-week prayer and praise service the pastor is delivering a series of brief addresses on the general subject, "Bible Difficulties." The very interesting subjects for the coming Wednesday evening will be "The Story of Creation In the Light of Modern Science," and the "Antiquity of Man." We hope to see you there.

MANLY M. E. CHURCH
Corner Eleventh and Clay
W. T. Gilliland, Pastor.

Sunday school at 9 o'clock, Philip Parr, superintendent.

Morning worship at 10:30, with sermon by the pastor. Subject, "Overcomers."

Epworth League devotional services at 6 o'clock, Mr. Ralph Riddleberger, leader.

Evangelistic services at 7 p. m. The pastor's subject will be "Sin, Some of its Results and Some of its Cures."

Probationers' class meets on Tuesday evening at 7:15 in the church basement. Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening at 7:15. You are invited to attend all of our services.

TRINITY METHODIST EPISCOPAL
Gallia and Offnere Streets.
C. Lloyd Strecker, Pastor.

Sunday school at 9 o'clock, W. B. Anderson, superintendent. Men's Bible class, J. H. Finney, teacher. Morning worship at 10:30. Sermon, "God's Forgiveness of Sin." Junior League at 2 p. m. Class meeting at 3 p. m. Epworth League at 6 p. m. Evening worship at 7 o'clock. The first of a series of two sermons on the general theme, "The Challenge of Today," will contain echoes from the Methodist Men's convention recently held at Columbus. Good music is assured at both morning and evening services. You will find a cordial welcome and a comfortable seat. Trinity is a home-like church.

Music for Sunday:

—Morning—

Organ Prelude in G—Handel.

Anthem, The 122nd Psalm—Sidney Durft.

Offertory—Communion— Octave Parisot.

—Evening—

Organ Prelude—Intermezzo— E. Townsend Driffield.

Anthem, "Praise the Lord, Oh, Jerusalem—Maunder.

Oertory—Neapolitan Serenade—Edwardo di Capua. (Violin Solo—Miss Ruth Crawford).

Soprano Solo, "Savior, Breathe An Evening Blessing"—Parks—Miss Gertrude Davidson.

FOURTH STREET M. E. CHURCH.
Fourth and Washington St.
Rev. Albert L. Marting, Pastor

Sabbath school at 9:45. Classes for all. Home of the popular Everyman's Bible Class.

Morning worship at 10. The first of two sermons on the present war, entitled, "Makers of Madness."

Young People meet at 6:15. An interesting session promised.

Evening worship at 7. First of a series of sermons on the Book of Revelation.

Music as follows:

—Morning—

Prelude, Lon Modo Moderato—Smart.

Anthem, "If He Should Come Today"—Currie Adams.

Offertory—Andantino—Schubert-Best.

Solo, "I Am With You"—Harkness—Mrs. W. J. Gelvin.

Postlude—E. L. Ashford.

—Evening—

Prelude, March Religieuse — Gounod.

Anthem, "The Lord is Great—Lorenz.

Offeretory—Andante Religioso — Clement Lorte.

Duet, "I Waited for the Lord"—Mendelssohn—Mrs. W. J. Gelvin and Rev. Albert L. Marting.

Postlude —Marche Triumphal — Williams.

GERMAN EVANGELICAL
Fifth and Washington
S. Lindenmeyer, Pastor

Sunday school at 8:45, Wm. Hazlebeck, superintendent. Morning worship (German) at 10 o'clock. Subject of sermon, "Christian Joy." Evening worship (English) at 7 o'clock. Subject of evening sermon, "Lessons From Moses as Child."

Junior and Senior Leagues at usual time.

KENDALL AVENUE BAPTIST

Sunday school at 9, John Buckley, superintendent.

Preaching at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m. by State Evangelist Rev. G. A. Beers, who has been conducting our revival services. As this is Rev. Beer's last day with us, let us show him our appreciation of his splendid work by our presence at each service. There will be special music at each service. Come and bring your friends with you. Ladies' Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. Chas. Russell, Highland avenue, Thursday afternoon.

HUTCHINS STREET BAPTIST

Sunday school at 9 o'clock, A. H. Dodds, superintendent.

Morning worship at 10:30, conducted by John W. Wynn.

Junior at 2 p. m.

Young People's meeting at 6 p. m.

Evening services at 7:30 by J. W. Wynn.

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock.

Everybody cordially invited.

SUNDAY SCHOOL.

Lesson III.—Second Quarter, For April 18, 1915.

THE INTERNATIONAL SERIES.

Text of the Lesson, Ps. xxiii—Memory Verses, Ps. xxiii—Golden Text, Ps. xxiii, 1—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

This most familiar of all the psalms to many people is as farreaching as any and will have its complete fulfillment only in the kingdom, when Isa. xl, 10, 11; Jer. xxiii, 5, 6; Ezek. xxxvii, 21-28, shall be fulfilled in the eyes of all nations, with every other prediction concerning Israel's future glory. All the true shepherds and shepherdesses of the Bible are suggestive of Christ and Israel, with some reference also to Christ and His church. He is primarily the Shepherd of Israel, leading Joseph like a flock, dwelling between the cherubim (Ps. lxxx, 1). He is also the Good Shepherd giving His life for the sheep and giving eternal life to His sheep, the sheep of His pasture (John x, 11, 27, 28; Ps. c, 3). He is the Great Shepherd risen from the dead, by whom God works in His people that which is well pleasing in His sight (Heb. xiii, 20, 21). He is also the chief Shepherd, who, at the resurrection of the just, will give the crowns to those who have won them and among others the crown of glory to those who have faithfully fed the flock (I Pet. v, 1-4).

All the shepherds, such as Abel, Jacob, Joseph, Moses and David, were wondrously typical of the Good Shepherd, and the women also, such as Rachel and Zipporah, who kept sheep, give us much to meditate upon, but all centers upon Him who is altogether lovely and of whom our souls say, "My meditation of Him shall be sweet; I will be glad in the Lord" (Song v, 16; Ps. civ, 34). The sequences of Scripture are most interesting and helpful studies, and in Psalm xxii, xxiii, xxiv, we have one of the most wonderful. Ps. xxii tells very fully of His sufferings, as if written by an eyewitness; speaks of His hands and feet pierced, His garments divided and lots cast upon His vesture, and quotes some of the very words flung at Him as He hung upon the cross, but it also tells of the resurrection and the kingdom. Ps. xxiii suggests Israel's glory in the millennial kingdom, and Ps. xxiv tells of the King of glory ruling the whole world in righteousness.

No one can truly say "The Lord is my Shepherd" who has not seen Him dying in their stead, bearing their sins in His own body and received Him as their own Saviour (Gal. ii, 20; I Pet. ii, 24; John i, 12; Eph. i, 6, 7). Then only can we be sure that we shall never want any good thing, for He who spared not His own Son will with Him also freely give us all things (Ps. xxxiv, 9, 10; lxxxiv, 11; Rom. viii, 32). It is impossible that such a Shepherd could withhold from any of His sheep anything really good for them.

Pastures of tender grass and waters of quietness (Ps. ii, margin), such would He have us enjoy always if we would only keep close to Him and not stray away like a lost sheep, choosing our own pasture and causing Him to grieve over us, saying, "Oh, that my people had hearkened unto me and Israel had walked in my ways" (Ps. lxxxi, 11-16). Although none of His sheep can ever perish, they may wander and need restoration, as when David said, "I have gone astray like a lost sheep; seek thy servant," or, again, "Restore unto me the joy of Thy salvation" (Ps. cxix, 176; li, 12). He will be glad to lead us in the paths of righteousness if we are only willing to be thus led. Thus only can we foretaste the kingdom and know something of its peace and quietness and assurance.

The expression "the shadow of death" is just one word and is found ten times in Job, four times in the Psalms and four times in the prophets. It may refer to the whole time of our sojourn here for we may be said to be always in the shadow of death, but the believer can always say, "I will fear no evil," for to the child of God death is always gain and very far better (Phil. i, 21, 23). Death is never spoken of as the coming of Christ, for, although death brings gain to the believer, it is always an enemy, the last enemy to be destroyed (I Cor. xv, 26). In life or death, if we are His, He is always with us to guide, comfort, sustain, protect us and assures us that He will never leave us or fail us (Deut. xxxi, 8; Isa. xli, 10, 13; Heb. xiii, 5).

The table in the presence of enemies will have a great fulfillment at the beginning of the next age, when He will come in glory for Israel's deliverance. It will then be a feast of fat things, when He will take away the rebuke of His people from off all the earth (Isa. xxv, 6-9). For the believer there is always a feast, and we may be day by day satisfied with the fatness of His house and drink of the river of His pleasures (Ps. xxxvi, 8). It is a reproach to the Lord when His people are seen seeking satisfaction at the world's table. When truly anointed with the Holy Spirit we shall so enjoy the Lord and His fullness that there shall be an overflow for others, but how few seem to overflow! Some one has said that with the Lord going before (John x, 4) and with goodness and mercy following (verse 6) we are cared for as only heaven can care for us. Then to think of our forever home, from which we shall go no more out (John xiv, 1-3); only unbelief can make us sad. May our hearts ever respond to "Let us be glad and rejoice and give honor to Him" (Rev. xix, 7).

WHEELERSBURG BAPTIST CHURCH

Sunday school at 9 a. m., Eric Dudnit, superintendent.

Preaching at 1:30 by Mr. Vangorder. Subject, "The Age of Innocence." This being the first of a series of sermons on dispensational truth, special emphasis will be given the scriptural teaching concerning our Lord's premillennel return. If you are interested in Bible study along prophetic lines—come.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Gallia and Waller Streets
T. M. McAfee, Pastor

Bible school at 9 a. m., James Yeley, superintendent. The pastor will teach the Men's class. A full attendance is urged. Preaching services at 10:15 a. m. and 7 p. m. Jr. B. Y. P. U. at 2 p. m. Sr. B. Y. P. U. at 6:15. The subject for the morning sermon will be "Flaming Trees." For any one who is looking for a closer walk with God, a "Clearer Experience," this sermon will no doubt be of great help. In the evening the pastor will preach on "Snakes! Snakes! Snakes!" If you wish to spend an hour in which you will be helped to better things, come to the First aBptist church. You are always welcome.

ALL SAINTS CHURCH
Corner Fourth and Court Sts.
Rev. E. Ainger Powell, Rector

The second Sunday after Easter.

Holy Communion at 7 a. m.

Sunday school at 9 a. m.

Brotherhood Bible class for men at 9 a. m.

Morning prayer and address at 10:30 a. m.

Evensong and evangelistic address at 7 p. m.

At the morning service the rector will address the congregation on the subject of "The Testimony of a Good Conscience; the Reward of Faithfulness. All members of the congregation are urgently requested to attend the service. At the evening service the subject of the address will be "The Call to Suffer." Everybody welcome. All seats free.

UNITED BRETHREN
Corner Gay and Seventh Streets
L. J. Roepper, Pastor

Sunday school at 9 a. m. Let every member be present. Be sure and bring a friend.

Morning worship at 10:15. Subject, "A Christian."

Junior Endeavor at 2 p. m.

Christian Endeavor at 6. Topic, "One Day in Seven for the Higher Things." Leader, Maud Smith.

Evening preaching at 7. Subject, "The Helping Hand."

Prayer meeting and quarterly conference Wednesday at 7:16 p. m. Rev. R. A. Hill, D. D., conference superintendent, will preach.

A most cordial invitation extended to everybody.

The following is the music for the day:

—Morning—

Chant.

Anthem, "Jesus, I My Cross Have Taken"—Hine.

Quartette, "I Am Happy In Him" —Excell—Mrs. Kunst, Miss Searff, Mr. Thompson, Mr. Smith.

Offertory, "Among the Lilies"—Lorenz—Mrs. Niswonger.

—Evening—

Anthem, "The Lord My Shepherd Is"—Wilson.

Solo, "He Lifted Me"—Gabriel—Miss Searff.

Offertory—"Offertoire"—Bodman Mrs. Niswonger.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST
820 Second Street

Services are held Sunday morning at 10:30.

Sunday school at 9 a. m. Wednesday evening testimonial meeting at 7:30 p. m. Lesson sermon: Subject, "Doctrine of Atonement." Golden text: I Peter 1:15: "As He which hath called you is holy, so be ye holy in all manner of conversation." We maintain a free circulating library here, where all authorized Christian Science literature may be read or borrowed on the same plan as the public library. We also have this literature for sale. All are welcome to attend these services, or to use the reading room.

SCIOTOVILLE METHODIST
A. B. Johnson, Pastor

Sunday school at 9 a. m., C. E. Forinash, superintendent.

Preaching by pastor at 10 a. m. and 7:15 p. m.

Junior League at 2 p. m., Miss Addie Stedman, superintendent.

Epworth League at 6:30 p. m., Carl Brant president.

Mid-week prayer-meeting Wednesday at 7:15 p. m.

The pastor of the Sciotoville M. E. church will be home to resume his duties next Sunday. He has spent three weeks visiting various points in Ohio, Indiana and Illinois. He also attended the wedding of his brother at Fargo, North Dakota.

NEW BOSTON CHRISTIAN

Sunday school services at the regular hour, nine o'clock, with Supt. J. C. Harris in charge. We only had 104 in attendance last Sunday, but with fair weather this Sunday the mark should reach over 150. Do your part by being there and exercise yourself by urging someone else to attend. Every little bit helps.

Regular communion services after Bible school.

Evening sermon at 7:15 with Mr. Palmer of the Sciotoville Christian church in charge. Mr. Palmer was converted at the recent revival held at the Sciotoville church.

Choir practice Monday evening and Ladies' Aid Thursday.

ALLEN CHAPEL A. M. E. CHURCH
Seventh Street
John Irwin, Pastor.

9 a. m., Sunday school, Mr. Louis Minor, superintendent. We are expecting a large attendance at Sunday school, and the Sunday school has made all necessary arrangements to take care of all newcomers.

10:30 preaching by the pastor; 11:45, class-meeting.

7:30, preaching by the pastor. We hope to see every member in their place at all of the services.

Wednesday evening prayer meeting. Mr. Thomas Slade, leader. We had a fine attendance last Wednesday evening and all voted to make the next still better. We hope to not hear of our members that they had the Wednesday evening headache.

All the departments of the church did their best work last week, and we are looking forward to yet greater activity. We can hear on all sides that Allen Chapel will take her place among the leading churches of the Ohio Conference, and why not? when we think of the name of the city in which we live.

PLEASANT GREEN BAPTIST
Tenth and Findlay
Rev. W. P. Chapman

Sunrise prayer meeting at 6:30 a. m.

Sunday school at 9 a. m.

Morning worship at 10:30. Subject, "Patience."

B. Y. P. U. at 6:30. Subject, "One Day in Seven for the Highest Things."—Ezek. 20:1-20.

Evening worship. Subject, "Edification."

You are welcome at our services, and we are always glad to have you come. The services are held for your benefit. We shall hope to see you Sunday.

Finger Mashed

J. W. Harris, 545 Front street, had the index finger of his right hand mashed by getting it caught in a shank moulding machine at the Selby shoe factory Friday afternoon. Dr. Arthur Moore attended him.

Condition No Better

The attending physician reported to Chief W. T. McCarty that it would be unsafe for Robert J. Minnery to venture outdoors and accordingly the preliminary hearing of William A. Patton for cutting him has been postponed until Monday morning.

Concession Withdrawn

The city has withdrawn the concession granted to the N. & W. agent to attach excursion posters and handbills to bicycle stands, etc., because they are frequently scattered over the streets.

NEW MINISTER ASSUMES CHARGE OF LOCAL CHURCH, PLANS FOR GREAT DAY

Unless a slip-up occurs in some of the plans already laid, tomorrow, Sunday, April 18, will be one of the biggest days in the history of the First Christian church of this city. The newly elected minister, Rev. Charles R. Oakley, of Mansfield, will arrive in Portsmouth, this evening, and on Sunday morning will assume active charge as pastor of the church. When he takes hold of the pastoral reins he will find that the members of the church will be ready and willing to give him all possible assistance within their power. They have been planning for a great day tomorrow, and have been working hard this week, not only for a large attendance at the Bible school, but for all church services as well.

Rev. Oakley will jump right into the harness and will teach the Bible lesson to the big adult class. At the morning service the new minister will deliver a message to the church, and it is hoped to have every seat occupied as it is expected Rev. Oakley will make known some of his policies which it is believed will serve to build up the congregation along spiritual as well as financial lines. He is known to be a fearless speaker, one who goes straight to a point and leaves no doubt as to his position. When here several weeks ago Rev. Oakley created a most favorable impression and the church is to be congratulated upon securing his services as pastor. It is thought that Rev. Oakley will prove a most capable successor to Rev. Brooks, who has added his testimonial to the new minister and who has stated that Rev. Oakley is just the very man for the place.

Rev. Oakley has been located at Mansfield for the past six years and a half. That he is still a

Rev. Charles R. Oakley

power with his people at Mansfield is shown by the fact that he has just closed an eight day protracted meeting, the result being 112 additions, 93 being by confession and baptism.

The Mansfield church was loath to part with the services of Rev. Oakley, as will be seen by the following extract taken from a letter sent the minister by the official board: "We, the official board of the First Christian church of Mansfield, wish, by this letter, to assure you of our great appreciation of your splendid work as pastor of our church for the past six and one-half years. We can look back over your administration with much pride and pleasure and feel that it has been a period of glorious success for you and the church. You have always been a good shepherd, ever leading us into the greener pastures of greater and more glorious spiritual achievements."

"We can gladly and conscientiously say that we have found in you everything that a church can hope to find in a pastor. If we think of the great attributes of moral character and spirituality, we remember you posess them in the supremest degree. If we think of pulpit power—convincing, eloquent and persuasive—we remember that in this respect you are without a peer. We wish you God's speed and may His richest blessings ever attend you and your family all the days of your life is our earnest prayer."

It is hoped to have not less than 1200 at Bible school. Letters have been mailed to each member of the school and everything points to a large crowd. Special music at Bible school, as well as an arch drill to be put on under the direction of Earl Puckett, who has no superior as a drill master.

Every member of the church and Bible school should be present. Help make the day one long to be remembered. Encourage the new minister by your presence.

Rev. Oakley, who is the father of eight children, will not move his family to Portsmouth until the first of June.

Osborn Assigned

Will Osborn, the newly appointed patrolman, has been assigned to District No. 8, south of Gallia street, between Offnere and Waller streets. Osborn is a young man of husky build and fine appearance. Officer Newt Bender recently appointed, failed to report for duty Friday night, having developed an attack of rheumatism.

The Man Who Started "An Appeal to the American People"

Doubtless you have read in the press very recently the one-page advertisement published in 200 American newspapers at a cost of over $100,000, and which had as its keynote:

"Let Us Alleviate Human Suffering and Preserve Life---Not Help to Destroy It"

signed by the editors of 431 foreign-language newspapers published in this country.

In THE LITERARY DIGEST for April 17th there are many interesting details of this propaganda including a statement from the man who acknowledges having inaugurated it.

Besides throwing light upon this important movement, under the following headings there is much to interest you in other directions in the current number of THE LITERARY DIGEST:

Business Boom Impending

Germany's Dissatisfaction with Our Protest to Britain

Omens in the Chicago Election

A Chronology of the War from January 1st
A Day-by-Day History of the Important Happenings

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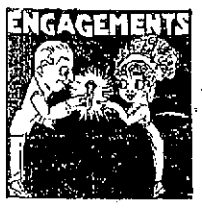

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"FOUR C" CLUB TO CLEAN UP THE CITY ADVOCATED; WOMEN BEHIND PROJECT

Plans that will provide for the beautification of the city and that will remove fire menaces from the city were convincingly revealed at a meeting held by the Portsmouth Federation of Woman's Clubs Friday evening and if carried out as suggested by T. A. Fleming chief inspector of the state fire marshal's department there is every reason to believe that a campaign of this character will materially benefit the city in a sanitary way and further enhance its attractiveness.

The meeting was called by the civic committee of the Federation of Woman's clubs and was presided over by Miss Lenore Allard, who introduced Mayor Frick. Mrs. Howard Sellards, president of the federation introduced Miss Allard, who in a neat little talk explained the object of the meeting and to what extent the civic committee had gone to carry out a clean-up campaign in Portsmouth. She stated that its members were heartily in favor of a general clean-up in the city and that the object of inviting the speaker of the evening, T. A. Fleming to be present was to get his ideas of what is being done along this line in many Ohio cities.

Tells of Benefit Of Clean-up Days

After being introduced Mr. Fleming in a most comprehensive and interesting manner told the good that has resulted from clean-up days being held in all parts of northern Ohio. "I was in Bowling Green and Findlay this week and will spend much time in that section of the state next week. Clean-up days there have done a world of good and I understand that they are to be made a yearly institution. Over in Painesville, Ashtabula, Medina, Crestline and in many Northwestern Ohio cities clean-up days were held the past few days with signal success," said Mr. Fleming.

"My suggestion to you is that a committee be named that would bear four C's, Citizens Clean-up Campaign Committee. This scheme has worked out beautifully in many towns I have visited. You would be surprised to see what is being accomplished along this line if you were privileged to visit the towns that I have in the interest of this movement in the past few weeks," continued Mr. Fleming.

"Everywhere the people, churches, business men, clubs and newspapers have got behind the movement and pushed it to a state of completion. The plan I would suggest for Portsmouth is to spend three weeks education the people as to the importance of the campaign and then have clean-up week. In this way one day could be devoted to attic cleaning, the next to back yards, the next to front yards and in this way every piece of property could be brightened up. The slogan reveberating through Ohio just now is clean-up, brighten up and paint up.

$500 Burned Up Every Minute

"Don you know that in the United States that every minute of the day $500 is burned up? This yearly is $250,000,000. Do you get that? If put into silver dollars they would reach a distance of 5,577 miles and if placed in greenbacks would extend all the way around the world and half way across the United States. Clean-up days have reduced the fire losses in Cleveland one half. They can do the same thing here. The thing to do is to observe a clean-up week here and you will be one of the first cities to start this movement. So much good will result from one clean-up day that it is best to set a week aside for this commendable work. When all trash is collected and burned, yards raked over, homes painted and streets and sidewalks cleaned there is not nearly so much danger of fire. Portsmouth should get busy along this line and take steps to further beautify your splendid city," said Mr. Fleming in conclusion. He made a very favorable impression.

Fire Chief McOuat was present at the meeting and assured those present that he would do all within his power to make a clean-up day or clean-up week in this city an unqualified success.

Miss Katherine Stockham, one of the city's most talented vocalists favored those present at the meeting with one of her delightful solos.

Dispose of City Charges

John Jolly, 27, formerly of Columbus, who was sick and destitute at 1610 Gallia street, was admitted to Hempstead hospital Saturday. Eli Groves, 25, negro, Bowling Green, Ky., stranded here, was warranted over to the infirmary authorities.

Everything in Implements at Stahler's. adv 15

POLICE COURT

The case of Charles Stilwill, for alleged assaulting Guy Hughes, was dismissed in police court Saturday morning. The evidence showed that Stilwell had accosted Hughes on the street and reprimanded him for alleged swearing falsely against him in court some months ago and that he threatened him. The court let him off with a warning.

Alvis Stone, against whom his wife, Mrs. Prudy Stone, 1116½ Front street, preferred a non support charge, failed to appear in police court Saturday and the case was continued until Monday.

The Scioto County Boy Scout Conference Committee feel that they have been very fortunate in securing the services of Mr. J. R. Marcum, Scout Commissioner of Huntington, West Virginia, for an address at their conference, which will be held at Sciotoville, April 23-24th.

Marcum is a man who has performed great service for the boys of Huntington, and one who has "brought things to pass", as far as good results are concerned. No less a person than the late Jacob A. Riis, of New York City, made the following flattering mention of Mr. Marcum's work in Huntington:

"I remember one of those towns below Mason's and Dixon's line, typical of the new and stirring South: business booming, population trebled in a dozen years, every influence for good and bad working overtime and with no one as yet to check them off; churches filled, Sunday schools too, but not a play ground no juvenile court or probation officer. The grand jury had made an attempt to check things up. Ninety-five boys in town had been in the police court from one to twenty times. What to do with them the police didn't know, nor the grand jury either. There had been two attempts to organize the Scouts, and both had failed for the want of leaders. Then the Men and Religian Forward Movement came to town, and out of it issued one of the boys! own choice, a young lawyer with little time but much devotion. He took hold, not because he wanted to; but because he "had to." The call was to him. When I was there, he had enlisted seventy of the ninety-five—the seven worst, some of the citizens told me—and they had all made good. He and the troop were giving them a chance to be good rather than bad, and they took it.

The town that had pooh-poohed the Scouts was getting behind them. Chamber of Commerce, Woman's Club, and all. These were working hand in hand for a juvenile court and a social center in connection with the parish house of a local church. And the boys? As I said, they were having a good time; they were not thinking of the tomorrow, not they, but of the fun they could have today. They had a camp two miles away where they slept in tents, did all the chores, wigwagged from knob to knob, and explored the bowels of the earth, for it was a cave country. In bad weather they held their meetings in town, did stunts in the gym of the Congregational church, and flourished exceedingly. Two new groups were forming, and leaders were coming out of the old and of the Normal College. The whole town looked towards a brighter future. Even the police approved."

Mr. Marcum's address will be a feature of Saturday night's program at Sciotoville, and many will go from Portsmouth, especially to hear this address.

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RIVER NEWS

Portsmouth, O., April 17, 1915.
(75th Meridian Times.)

	Flood stage feet	Height of river to-day	Change since last report	Rainfall last 24 hours Inches Precipitation
Franklin	15	3.1 F	-0.5	.04
Greensboro	18	7.9 F	-0.1	.04
Pittsburgh	22	6.6 F	-0.4	.06
Wheeling	36	9.3 F	-1.0	.04
Zanesville	25	8.5 F	-0.1	.04
Parkersb'g	36	9.3 F	-0.3	.12
Charleston	30	7.6 F	-0.1	.04
Pt Pleasant	39	9.3 R	+0.3	.04
Catlettsb'g	50	12.8 R	+1.0	00
Portsmouth	50	12.7 R	+0.8	00
Cincinnati	50	12.4 R	+0.8	.02

FORECAST

Fair over upper Ohio valley tonight and Sunday.

River will rise slowly tonight, becoming about stationary Sunday.

H. C. DONNALLEY,
River Observer.

The Ohio river was 12.7 ft. and rising here Saturday morning. Sunday's packet departures: Greendale for Cincinnati at 6 p. m.; Tacoma for Pomeroy at 3 p. m.

Delegates Home

Delegates to the state convention of the Woodmen of the World from Portsmouth and New Boston Camps and their auxiliary organizations arrived home from Toledo Friday.

The delegates included Roy McElhaney, George A. Ditty, George Clifford, Captain Leslie Janelsky, William Hyland and W. H. Clarke of River City Camp, this city, Captain Warren Coffey and John Paynton, of New Boston Camp, Mrs. George A. Ditty, of River City Grove Woodmen Circle.

Suspect Released

William Jones, a negro tramp, arrested Friday noon for trying to dispose of some stolen brass, was released by Chief W. T. McCarty Saturday morning. There was little or no evidence against him.

Too Many Boys

The N. & W. has complained to the police that newsboys are becoming too numerous about the passenger depot and wants them limited to one or two boys selling papers.

MOTHERS AND TEACHERS CLUB MET ON FRIDAY

The mothers' and teachers' club of the Eleventh street school held their regular monthly meeting Friday afternoon at the close of school in the principal's room.

An executive committee composed of Mrs. Starks, Mrs. Whitfield, Mrs. Stansfield and the teachers of the school was appointed. Mrs. White, Mrs. Saunders and Mrs. Starks were also named as a sick committee.

At the conclusion of the business session Mrs. Starks, Mrs. Saunders, Mrs. Turner and Mrs. White served cake and cream while the Victrola rendered several beautiful selections.

B. & O. S. W. MEN HERE

E. M. Davis and R. N. Begein, general manager and general superintendent respectively of the B. & O. S. W. arrived here in their special car over the N. & W. from Cincinnati Saturday noon for an inspection visit. They were accompanied by a number of division officials of the road and left on the B. & O. S. W. accommodation train at 3:10 p. m.

WILL DECORATE UNIFORMS

The B. & O. and B. & O. S. W. will revive their former practice of decorating their uniformed forces of conductors, station masters, etc., with badges of honor with their new summer suits this season. These will be upon the basis of length of service.

IT IS GOING TO BE LOOKED INTO

You are cordially invited to be on hand at the E. M. B. C. quarter, Cor. 4th and Washington Sunday morning. The truths of the 23d psalm will be carefully studied and you surely will be benefited. Everybody welcome.

Interesting Sermons At Fourth St. M. E.

Rev. Albert L. Marting, pastor of the Fourth Street M. E. church, announces the beginning of an especially interesting series of sermons to continue each Sunday evening at 7 o'clock. A popular interpretation of the Book of Revelation will be attempted with the purpose of setting forth its deeper spiritual import. The following are the dates and subjects:

April 18—The Book of Revelation.
April 25—Christ In Revelation.
May 2—The Church In Revelation.
May 9—The God of Love In Revelation.
May 16—The Beast In Revelation.
May 23—The Returning Christ In Revelation.
May 30—The Better Country In Revelation.
June 6—The Seer In Revelation.

The sermon tomorrow morning also promises to be interesting. It will be the first of two sermons on the present war entitled: "Makers of Madness." The second sermon will follow in two weeks.

Rules For That Cleanup Campaign

Ira N. Rush, of Chillicothe, district superintendent of the Metropolitan Life Insurance company, has offered to co-operate with the local city officials in the proposed "clean-up" campaign.

Mr. Rush will instruct all of the company's representatives in Portsmouth to distribute the company's clean-up circulars of instructions as follows:

See that all rubbish is removed from your cellar, back yard and areaway. Have it placed in suitable receptacles where the street cleaning department can readily remove it.

Clear hallways of all obstructions.

Remove and clean all carpets and hangings for the summer.

Scrub floors, hallways and all unvarnished woodwork thoroughly. Use plenty of soap and hot water.

Clean all windows and keep them open to fresh air and sunlight.

Ventilate damp cellars.

Report all neighborhood nuisances, such as stagnant pools and ill-smelling refuse piles, to the Health Department.

Ask your landlord to repair leaky roofs and plumbing, and to repair dirty, broken walls and ceilings.

If there is a vacant lot adjoining your house see that it is cleaned of all decaying and refuse material.

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One Candidate

One candidate, Gayneil Newman, was admitted in White Lily Chapter, No. 81, Daughters of America, Friday evening. Initiatory work will be conferred upon a class of candidates next Friday evening.

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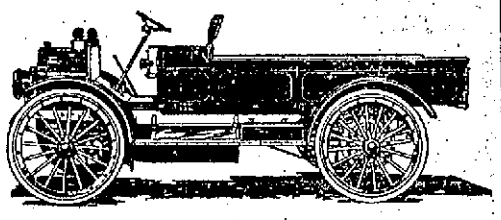

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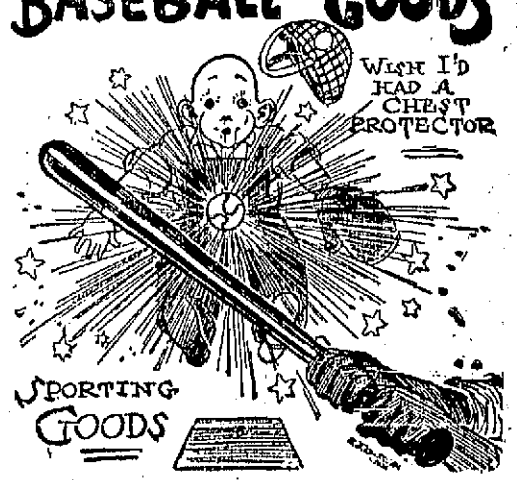

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LOCAL GERMAN'S VIEW OF THE WAR

By Major Lewis F. Korth, Former Editor of The Correspondent

Friday, April 16, 1915.

In the Eastern and Western fields of slaughter the gigantic struggle between the millions of the Allies and the central powers is going on unabated and since the opening of spring with renewed intensity, to all appearances to the advantage of the Teutons.

Complete successes for the Germans all along the battle front in the West are claimed in a detailed statement from Great Headquarters in Berlin, which dwells upon the exceptionally heavy losses suffered by the French i nthe late fighting between the Meuse and Moselle rivers, that will go down into history as "the battle of the Woevre", one of the most fiercely contested and bloodiest of the present war.

The fierce French attempts to break the German wedge between Verdun and St. Mihiel have failed everywhere, at Combres, Le Pretre, St. Mihiel, Ailly and Apremont, and to judge by the Paris reports of the fierceness of the attacks last week, which were repeated in the early part of this week, the French losses in dead and wounded must have been as large indeed as they were estimated by the German war office. The battle raged hottest at Combres, where the Germans have got nearest to Verdun, in fact within artillery range to its outer forts, and which commands the road from Metz ao Verdun, and around the St. Mihiel salient, the German wedge into the positions of the French on the left bank of the Meuse, the only ones where they are not rounded in and have communications to their rear.

The French took the offensive to break the iron ring and if possible gain the road to Metz, but it miscarried, the same as that in the Champagne during December and January. As they brought all their reserves into action and the newest levies their repeated ill success must be discouraging to commander and officers and demoralizing to the rank and file.

In the east the new Russian efforts to drive the Germans back into Prussia also have failed and the latter are on the offensive again from Marianpol east. They defeated the Russians, took near 2000 prisoners and some guns, and have renewed their attempt to take Osoviecz, the fortress Vicy to the Narew-Bobro line of defenses for Warsaw in the north, to where they now have brought Howitzers and started a new bombardment.

The Carpathian campaign has not brought the decision hoped for in Petrograd and the passes from Galicia into Hungary are still in Austrian hands although the news fakirs had the Russians sweeping into the plains of Hungary every other day, battling their way to Budapest, annihilating half of the Austrian army and some more. The Russians blame the snow and ice in the passes, which make the use of artillery almost impossible, for the slowness of their operations. In the Ussog pass, the most important in the range, they have been been driven from the offensive into the defensive. In the forest region east of it, where the German group of four or five corps under General Von Linsingen is operating, they were driven from the heights of Tucholka, and in the Opor Valley (same region) they suffered a severe defeat, which opens the road to the Stryi river along the Lemberg railroad to the Germans. Berlin estimates that the Russians have lost half a million men in the Carpathian campaign, on officers alone over 10,000.

The strategic position of the Russians in Western Galicia and on the Dukla pass is neither a favorable one, as they are in a pocket which may be closed any day by a concentric advance of the Austro-Hungarians from the Dunajec and Eastern Galicia. They can only free themselves by getting through the small western passes into the Hungarian plains, where there is room for the deployment of forces and battle.

Petrograd is fearing a new offensive from Hindenburg. When that will come is not dependent upon day and hour set for it but upon meteorological conditions. Hindenburge will surely strike again but not until the spring floods in the Polish bottom and swamp lands have subsided.

From Southern Palestine on the Egyptian frontier active operations of the Turks are reported. In Persia they have taken Hamadan, an important trading center south of Teheran, the capitol. They seem to hold their own in Persia, where the population is with them.

In his report about the battle of Neuve Chapelle General French gives the British losses at 12,811, nearly 13,000 men for 300 yards of ground. The German losses were near 6,000 by report of the Berlin war office. By this the British as attackers lost nearly doubly as much as the Germans. That General Haig did not follow up his success is explained by the failure of his reserves to come up in time.

The whole casualties of the British army during the war are given at about 140,000.

"Germany is not only building Zeppelins, sixteen every month, but is constructing a big Zeppelin fleet in three different airship works. The fleet is divided into divisions, which are daily practicing in a large field at Cologne. In the near future you will see these divisions manouvre over London and the channel." That is the surprising message the English builder of Zeppelin destroyers, Mac Mechen, gives in "Everybody's Magazine". It was quickly verified by late Zeppelin raids over Northumberland and on the Suffolk coast of England, where they dropped bombs in different towns. London is badly scared again.

After a daring dash through the lane of British warships which have been hovering off the Virginia Capes waiting for the Eitel Fritz to come out of the Bay its companion, the old Bremen liner Kronprinz, now a converted cruiser, entered Newport News on Sunday last.

He left New York harbor on August 3, right after the beginning of the war with only two small guns but was fitted out at sea by the Karlsruhe and has been raiding on the Atlantic north and south ever since, destroying fourteen British and French ships with cargoes of an estimated value of seven million dollars, among them the French passenger steamer Gouadeloupe from Buenos Ayres to Bordeaux and the British mail and passenger steamer Tamar.

The Kronprinz was forced to seek shelter for urgent repairs and supplies, besides crew and prisoners were suffering from scurvy and beri-beri. Captain Commander Thierfelder is putting his ships into seaworthy condition and awaiting instructions from his government as to his further course. The career of the Kronprinz was even more thrilling than that of the Eitel Fritz, and amazing is his escape from pursuit.

The Austro-Hungarian embassy in Washington has officially been informed that crop prospects in Austria are good and better yet in Hungary. Although payments on the second German war loan were not due until April 14, there had already been paid in before that date 4,640,000,000 marks. The gold reserve of the German Reichs bank last week was 2,347,500,000 marks.

The secretary of the French Commercial Travelers Syndicate takes pains to prove in the Paris "L'Humanite" that England is fighting solely for her own interests and that France will loose her markets through the war.

The military governor of Belgium has established a bank of credit to cash all due bills for military requisitions since the invasion of Belgium.

The price of bread has risen in London to 4 1-4 cents per pound, in Berlin it is less than 4 cents.

The average Englishmen will be a sport, even at a funeral. The recruiting placards in the streets of London read: "On the Berlin! A trip to Germany. Passage and fare paid by the government. Fine hunting, arms and munition gratis. Don't study long. Only a limited (!) number of from 18 to 38 wanted." Lord Kitchener fails to state whether he insures against accidents on the route.

London says that Germany is about to publish an edict to prevent the German workingman from obtaining "Schnapps, his traditional drink." London is talking through her hat. Neither in England proper (not Great Britain) nor in Germany is Schnapps the traditional drink, but beer which is brewed stronger in England than in Germany. John Barleycorn is as popular in England as in Germany. The sale of spirits is furthermore not regulated by the German Imperial government but by the individual states. The emperor did cut out the use of ardent spirits in the army, as commander, from the start, over the habits of the people he has no control. And even the British government stops at all and half. Its main object is to wean the worker from making too much blue Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday and too little ammunition.

In a letter to the New York American the war correspondent Edward Lyell Fox describes the conditions in Poland and Galicia as worse than what the civilized world has ever seen. "Thousands and thousands of people burnt out and driven from their homes are living in the woods and subsisting like animals on what they can dig out of the ground," he says.

A large number of English and French physicians have gone to Servia, where typhus is spreading in a fearfulw degree, and the Roumanian government has forbidden the use of drinking water out of the river Pruth because cholera bacilli have been found in it. Worse than war.

The International Bureau of the Red Cross Societies in Geneva estimates the losses of the Allies in the five months from the beginning of the war to the end of last year at 6,609,500 men, 1,321,900 per month. At this rate their total losses up to date would be 10,575,200 dead, wounded, in hospitals, disabled and prisoners. Horrible!

By a new process the Germans are now enabled to use steel in the making of their balls, which saves copper.

The theatres are now open again in Brussels, Antwerp and Ghent. In May the Philharmonic orchestra of Berlin will give concerts there.

A recruiting officer complains in the London Times about bad business.

In the London "Field" the English publicist, David Hannan, discusses the absurdity of the outcry against submarines. He says the sinking of prices is justified and the British would do it as much as the Germans.

Like Warsaw Petersburg has a coal famine. By announcement of its chief of police the supply for the water works is nearly exhausted.

Recruiting is not brisk in Ireland. Sligo with 90,000 people only furnished 321 recruits and Kings County with 60,000 only 379, an Irish paper states.

One new submarine is being added to the British navy every three days, a London despatch to the New York Sun says. Where are they all in hiding?

The wholesale dealers in Paris have put up the price of Anthracite to $20 a ton, and people would be glad to pay it if they only could get the coal when they want it, a correspondent writes to the "Handelsblad" in Amsterdam.

A war correspondent of the New York World, Phil. Röder, who has just returned from Germany, expresses the conviction that England's policy of starving the German nation into submission will turn out a failure. In Germany they laugh it down, he says.

At the opening of the Landtag of Alsace and Lorraine Governor Von Dallwitz expressed his satisfaction over the universal loyalty of the people and the fact that as many had volunteered for the war from Alsace as in any other part of the German empire, giving the figures for each district.

In London financial circles it is rumored that the young Rothschilds in a family council decided to follow a very conservative course as to foreign loans by advice of their late father on his deathbed.

All the ships which the English and Belgians sunk when they evacuated Antwerp have been raised and made seaworthy again.

In the midst of the world conflagration the Berlin municipal administration has voted an appropriation of 130 million marks for acquiring the street car and electrical system so as to assure cheap fares and electricity to the people.

Instead of rising the price of saltpetre has fallen in Germany due to the artificial manufacture of it lately invented. The essentials are drawn out of the hydrogen in the air.

That Austria-Hungary is discouraged and anxious for peace is as untrue today as it was three months ago. We will fight until we have won." This is the substance of a declaration which Count Julius Andrassy, the former Hungarian premier, has made in the Vienna Zeitung. He thinks however that peace will come sooner than many believe.

That Germany has inofficially informed the U. S. Government of the conditions under which it is willing to make peace is untrue, Berlin says.

The German submarine N. 28 did not torpedo the Falaba until an English destroyer came in sight, and that was 23, not 5 minutes after she was brought to, its commander says in his reports. The owners of the Falaba, The Elder Dempster Co. of London, say that among her passengers were some thirty British officers who were to take part in an expedition against the Germans in Kamerun and seventy colonial officers.

The great English novelist Hall Caine in an open letter to the London Telegraph attacks our administration for not making common cause with Great Britain and declaring war on Germany. The writer of fiction is off on realities and history. He does not know that William Gladstone, chancellor of the exchequer and member of the cabinet, as Lloyd George is today, in a speech at Newcastle on Tyne some fifty years ago (after Fredericksburg) proclaimed "Jeff Davis and the other leaders of the Southern Confederacy have created a powerful and victorious army and are now at work creating a fleet, but what is more they have created a nation." That nation did not last long, and Mr. Gladstone did not see his dear wishes fulfilled, nor will Mr. Caine be gratified in his, although he and the British Tory press have been clamoring for it ever since the war began.

At a secret meeting of the Russian Duma the foreign minister said, according to a French paper, that what Russia intended to have without fail were Galicia and Constantinople. If she should get it, which is not likely, she would have to fight to keep it, not with Germany, but with her Western Allies. Stambul has been the bone of contention between these powers for 300 years.

Often we have heard reference made to the composite nature of the population of the United States, that is the races which make up the American people. The statistician Prof. Albert B. Faust (of Harvard or Columbia) in an exhaustive work published by the Houghton Mifflin Co., of Boston, and based on the census of 1910 figures the distribution by principal countries in our white population for three generations ar

English (including Scotch and Welsh, about 3,000,000) 24,750,000.

German (including Dutch, about 3,000,000), 21,600,000.

Irish (Catholic and Protestant) 15,250,000.

Robbery Victim Sees Assailant On Street

Frank Piatt, a West Side horse-dealer, Friday night identified Murlon Nichols, a prisoner at the police station, as the same who he claimed assaulted and robbed him of $915 at Circleville on March 27th.

Piatt had gotten a glimpse of Nichols when the latter was out with the city prison work gang Friday and he called at police headquarters in the evening and acquainted Chief W. T. McCarty with his suspicions. Nichols was brought before him and he at once declared him to be the man who had waylaid him after he had taken him into an alley to show him a horse. He said the man struck him in the side, "winding" him, and then took his pocket-book.

Piatt left for Circleville on an early train Saturday to prefer charges against Nichols at Circleville. Nichols was convicted in police court a few days ago of stealing a cheap watch from Will Denning, a young huckster.

SPRING IS HERE TO STAY; DAVEY JONES MAKES BIG CATCH

Davey Jones smiled the smile of a successful fisherman Friday evening.

While fishing in Millbrook lake Friday afternoon he had the good fortune to haul out a blue catfish that weighed 10 pounds. And he proudly brought the fish down town to verify every word he said about the splendid catch.

MENAGERIE COMING

Portsmouth is going to have a real menagerie because West Virginia has been banned on account of the appearance of the hoof and mouth disease.

Gus Sun's circus is booked for almost a month in West Virginia, and during this time Mr. Sun's menagerie will be anchored here. When the circus gets out of that state the menagerie will again become a part of it.

FORESTERS TO ATTEND

Members of the Catholic Order of Foresters will receive communion in a body at the Sunday morning services to be conducted by Rev. J. E. McGuirk, pastor of Holy Redeemer church.

Elks Excursions Are Happy Events

The Portsmouth Lodge of Elks, No. 154, Stanley McCall Exalted Ruler, have the happy faculty of doing things well, and the special excursions which they are to give April 26th and 30th will be no exception to the rule. The Island Queen, the handsomest boat on the Ohio river, will carry the voyagers. She leaves port at 2:30 and 8:00 p. m., respectively, and there will be a special matinee for the women and children, with special prices.

The antlered herd of Portsmouth has been voyaging on the Island Queen each year since 1908. Capt. James Dupuy, commander of the Queen, is looking forward with pleasure to meeting them and their friends again. So when Exalted Ruler McCall and his Elks march aboard, Capt. Jim will smile a real welcome.

Nixon A Bear

Former Portsmouth boys cut deeply into the victory Cleveland Bonrcats garnered from the Indianapolis club Friday. Nick Carter received veoman aid from Billy Nixon as the latter slammed out a single, double and a triple, driving in four runs. Southworth was up only twice, but he hauled in six flies in the outfield.

In'o Masonic Temple

Attorney J. P. Purdum, who for many years has had his offices in the Elk building, Second and Court streets, will move shortly to a suite of roos in the Masonic Temple, formerly occupied by the late Capt. N. W. Evans.

Eat your dinner at the Manhattan Restaurant. Roast turkey, squabs, chicken, oysters, Ohio river catfish and all delicacies of the season. 16-2t

Mr. Bannon Back.

Attorney Henry T. Bannon returned Saturday from a business trip to Philadelphia and Richmond, Va., in the interest of the Norfolk and Western.

STILL AFTER BIG ORDER

J. W. Bannon, Jr., who has been in New York on business for the Excelsior Shoe Company, returned home Friday evening. He left Great Williams there and he will be joined Monday by Mrs. Williams. The Excelsior people are bending every energy to land a big order from the French government.

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Said Baum "Lifted" Eggs

W. M. Drennen reported to Officer Joe Bonzo that Lou Baum had filled his pockets with eggs taken from the wagon of Mrs. Will Erwin of Harrisonville, during market Saturday morning. Bonzo called on the woman but she was averse to prosecuting Baum, declaring it was not the first offense of the kind that she had suffered at his hands.

Editor Donnelly Here.

Mose Donnelly, former editor and publisher of the Charleston, W. Va., Citizen, is in the city. Mr. Donnelly is engaged in the accident insurance business.

To Columbus.

John Brushart has gone to Columbus, being called there by the serious illness of his brother-in-law, Hayden Bush.

Files Reply

Mary Montgomery, plaintiff in a $5000 damage suit against Mary E. Mitchell and Clarence O. Mitchell, has filed her reply to the answer of the defendants. She denies all of the counter allegations of the defandants. The suit is based on an alleged assault, which the defendants claim was justified. Theodore K. Funk is attorney for plaintiff, and Blair and Kimble for the defendants.

Mr. Zoellner Here.

Philip Zoellner, of Dogwood Ridge, was a visitor here, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis of Franklin Furnace, were in the city shopping, Saturday.

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Cornerstone To Be Laid With Ceremony

The corner stone laying of the new Sunday school of the Evangelical church will take place at 9:30 tomorrow morning. Sunday school will be dismissed fifteen minutes earlier so that it may appear in body and take part in the exercises which will consist in reading of scriptures, passages, prayer and consecration and the actual placing of the stone and songs.

Approximate passages will be read by Mr. C. F. Daehler, Sr., Mr. Herman Graf and Mr. Henry Scott, representing the generation that built the old Sunday school. The present generation is to be represented by Mr. Chas Daehler, president of the organization and Mr. Wm. Hazlebeck, superintendent of the Sunday school.

The members of the future generation will be represented by Earl Wolff and Geo. Schirrman.

Mrs. Val Roth, president of German Ladies' society and Mrs. Geo. Kah, president of the Relief Society are to represent the ladies.

Mr. Chas. Dawson, will set the stone in place after which the prayer of consecration by Rev. Lindenmeyer will follow. Mr. Geo. Kah will accompany the singing with his cornet. The corner stone is to contain a record of names of church members, Sunday school pupils, officers of the various societies and the building committee, also a copy of each of the Evangelical church papers of the Portsmouth Times, The Morning Star, a constitution of the local church and of the Evangelical Synod, of which it is a member and finally a catechism setting forth teaching of the Evangelical church.

Services On Sunday

The Rev. J. E. Gordon will conduct services Sunday morning at Friendship and in the evening he will preach at Bethel, on the West Side.

Before letting your contract for cement work see James McDaniel for prices. 1522 Robinson avenue. Phone 1244 R. All work guaranteed. adv 14-6

Plant Humming.

The plant of the Portsmouth Engine Company, Third and Jefferson streets, is now being operated day and night, so brisk is business with this firm. Two shifts will continue to work indefinitely.

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AIR OPERATIONS HOLD ATTENTION

"NOBODY FEARS HUERTA NOW," SAYS VILLA REPRESENTATIVE IN NEW YORK

Victoriano Huerta (photographed in New York).

While General Villa is said to have protested against the action of the United States government in permitting ex-Dictator Huerta to land in New York, Villa's representative in that city denies that the Villistas object to the presence of Huerta in this country. "He is politically dead," said this representative. "He has no influence anywhere."

CONTRADICTORY CLAIMS MADE OF THE RESULTS ACCOMPLISHED BY RAIDS

London, April 17—The allies on one side and Germany on the other, are today taking inventories of the injuries inflicted by the recent aerial operations, and with the usual contradictory results.

The attackers claim that their assaults from the air have resulted in the destruction of military transport and equipment, while the defenders report that the only tangible effects of the operations have been casualties to civilians and slight damage to property.

The people of England, under the influence of their recent experiences, are today looking for a repetition of an aerial attack from German Zeppelins or Taubes. Up to noon no such fresh occurrence had been reported.

Weather conditions seem to be the chief cause of the present halted operations in the Carpathians.

Says The Russian Offensive Was Checked

A report of the Associated Press correspondent with the Austrian forces reviewing the situation, declares that the Russian offensive was checked after debauching on the plains on the Hungarian side of Lupkow Pass and straightening out the Austrian wedge which had been driven into the Russian line near Uzsok Pass.

The claim is made that the Russians suffered fearful losses in making their supreme effort to gain the Hungarian plains, the casualties being particularly heavy among the noble-born officers of crack regiments.

In any event, it is the opinion of British observers that whatever else may be retarding the Russians' flooded streams and impassable roads in the Carpathians are ample reasons for the present delay.

Activities Resumed By The Allied Fleet

With news of the resumption of activity by the Allied fleet off the Dardanelles, comes a report that the Grecian Press is given the impression of a possible modification of the present policy of Greece.

The British colonial office has issued an official report claiming victory for an invading British Indian force over the Turks in Mesopotamia.

On the western front signs are growing that the Germans may anticipate the long-predicted general Allied offensive, but actual operations seem to have relapsed into the status of mid-winter quiet.

PEACE FLAG FLIES FROM MASTHEAD OF VESSEL BEARING U. S. DELEGATES TO WOMEN'S PEACE CONFERENCE AT THE HAGUE

American delegates to Women's Peace Conference at The Hague and their peace flag. Arrow points to Jane Addams.

A huge peace flag floated from a masthead of the Holland-American line steamship Noordam—now on her way to Europe—as the forty or more delegates from America sailed away from New York on this vessel for Rotterdam to attend the Women's Peace Conference at The Hague the latter part of this month. The flag was a snow white, bearing the word "Peace" in blue letters. The American delegation is headed by Miss Jane Addams of Chicago, who will preside at the conference.

BELIEF GENERAL THAT AUSTRIA WILL MAKE ATTACK UPON ITALY

Paris, April 17—The belief is becoming general in Rome that Austria will make a sudden attack upon Italy as soon as she becomes convinced that the latter country has determined to intervene in the war, according to a dispatch to the Matin from its correspondent in the Italian Capital.

This prospect is said to be causing no alarm, however, because of the concentration of large forces of Italian troops on the Austrian frontier.

Turkish Diplomat Says Italy Will Remain Neutral

Rome, April 16—(via Paris April 17)—"I am convinced that Italy will remain neutral," was a statement made to the Idea Nazionale by Carasso Effendi, member of the Turkish Chamber of Deputies, who has been in Italy on a mission for his government, on the eve of his departure from Rome for Constantinople. He declared he had gained this impression after interviews with various Italian statesmen.

"Until yesterday," he said, "this was a simple impression, but today I consider it a certainty. I feel a sincere joy in knowing that your country will be spared the horrors of war."

Take Action To Prevent Trade In Contraband

Milan,—(via Paris) April 17—Drastic steps are being taken by the Italian government to prevent trade in contraband articles being carried on with Austria, according to the newspaper Secolo, which asserts that 500 persons were arrested on Friday while attempting to smuggle flour, rice and spaghetti across the frontier.

BOMBS FROM AEROPLANES KILL SEVEN, WOUND EIGHT

Amiens, France, April 17—Seven persons were killed and eight were wounded by bombs dropped by two German aeroplanes which flew over this city yesterday, one in the morning and one in the evening. The cathedral apparently was the target of the missiles, but it was not damaged.

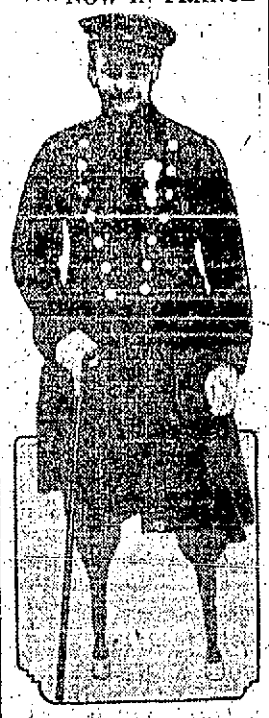
The first aircraft appeared at 6:05 a. m. and dropped five bombs. The explosions of the projectiles were fatal to four women and two men, while seven other persons were injured, including two soldiers guarding the railroad station. The property damage was trivial.

The second aeroplane appeared over the city at five p. m. One of the bombs dropped from it demolished a house, decapitating a woman seated in the parlor, and injuring another woman.

GEN. EXHAUSTION WILL WIN

Tokio, Japan, April 17—Count Okuma, the Japanese premier, speaking today to a number of journalists on the European war, expressed the opinion that hostilities soon would come to end owing to the exhaustion of the belligerents.

A COMMON SIGHT NOW IN FRANCE



Jean Cauyolle.

Europe is full of men like Jean Cauyolle, the French soldier who lost both legs in the war and has a medal to show for his bravery. Cauyolle took part in the battles of Altkirch, Namur, Charleroi and Champagne. In the last named action he lost both his legs and though still ful lof the fighting spirit is unable to return to the front.

PENNSY R. R. TO SPEND TWENTY MILLION FOR LOCOMOTIVES AND CARS

Philadelphia, April 17.—The Pennsylvania railroad will go into the market today for approximately $20,000,000 of new equipment for new material for cars and locomotives which it will build in its own shops. The equipment program includes 144 new locomotives, 146 all steel passenger cars and about 10,000 freight cars. All the locomotives, 56 of the passenger cars and 2102 of the freight cars, will be built at the company's shops at Altoona.

125,000 WAGE EARNERS AFFECTED BY LOCKOUT

Chicago, April 17—A lockout of 16,000 union carpenters assumed serious proportions today, tying up operations valued at more than $30,000,000 on 4,000 buildings in Chicago and throwing out of employment 125,000 wage-earners, thousands of whom had no connection with the building industry itself.

Union leaders and officials of the Building Construction Employers' Association, which declared the lockout, asserted that they expected little assistance from the conference of the state board of arbitration which meets Monday to offer its services in the interest of industrial peace.

Neither side, it was said, was willing at this time to make concessions. The board of arbitration was ordered to meet by Gov. Edward F. Dunne. The board does not have authority to settle labor disputes, but is empowered to investigate and make public its findings.

The contractors, it was announced, have withdrawn their previous offer of a wage increase, and if the carpenters return to work it would be at the old rate of sixty-five cents an hour.

The carpenters demanded seventy cents. The contractors offered a two and one-half cent increase for the last eighteen months of the proposed three year agreement.

EGYPTIAN TOWN IS SHELLED

Paris, April 17—The ministry of Marine today gave out an official communication reading:

"During the day of April 16, a French cruiser, supporting a reconnaissance made by aeroplanes, effectively bombarded the fortifications of El Arjish, a fortified town in Egypt, near the boundary of Egypt and Palestine, as well as certain detachments of Turkish troops which had concentrated near El Arish."

AWAIT REPORTS FROM TURTLE BAY INCIDENT

Washington, D. C., April 17—The United States government today awaited official advices as to whether or not Japan had established a naval base at Turtle Bay, lower California, as has been reported.

Although officials are not inclined to place any credence in the reports they have sought to ascertain through American consuls and the Pacific fleet exactly what use the Japanese and British vessels were making of Mexican territorial waters.

Officials are certain that there is no foundation for the reports because of the fact British colliers were assisting the Japanese warships.

Huerta Says He Didn't Give Japan Any Rights

New York, April 17—Victoriano Huerta, former provisional president of Mexico, declares in a statement published by the Herald today that he had never given Japan or any other foreign government rights or concessions on the coast of lower California.

"I never gave any rights or privileges to any foreign nation that would affect the autonomy or integrity of Mexico," he said.

German Shells Fall On Swiss Territory

Delemont, Switzerland, April 17—(via Paris)—German shells fell on Swiss territory Tuesday for the third time since the outbreak of the war, says the newspaper Democrate.

The Germans were trying to destroy a French observation post at Pfetterhausen, but the gunners' aim was bad and the projectiles overshot their target, dropping round the town of Beurnevesain.

An investigation was made the following day by Swiss authorities, who took fragments of shells to Porentruy for examination by an expert.

THE WEATHER

Ohio—Fair tonight and Sunday; frost tonight. Rising temperature Sunday.

Kentucky—Fair tonight and Sunday; rising temperatuers Sunday.

Red Cross Units And Supplies To Belgium

New York, April 17—The American line steamship St. Louis, sailing today for Liverpool, carried four surgeons and 24 nurses composing, with two additional surgeons to join them in England, two complete red cross field ships. These units are to be attached to the Belgian army and stationed at La Panne.

A red cross consignment of cotton, bandages, anti-toxin and surgical instruments valued at $50,000 also goes to Belgium on the St. Louis.

Stoves of all kinds at Stahler's adv 15-3

Is Blown To Pieces

Leipsic, O., April 17—Sanford Beck, 22 years old, was literally blown to pieces when a stick of dynamite which he was using to blast stumps on his father's farm, near here, yesterday, exploded in his hand. His bride of but three months was near him and witnessed the accident.

Will Use Water To Christen Battleship

Phoenix, Ariz., April 17—Water instead of the customary champagne has been chosen by Governor Hunt as the christening fluid when the battleship Arizona is launched at the New York navy yard on June 19.

As Arizona is a dry state Governor Hunt said today he had selected water, taken from the first flow over the spillways of the great Roosevelt dam. Miss Esther Ross, aged 17, of Prescott, was appointed by Governor Hunt as sponsor.

OBSERVE ANNIVERSARY

San Francisco, Cal., April 17.—San Francisco began today a six days celebration of the anniversary tomorrow of the fire which destroyed the city in 1906.

ON LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Tokio, Japan, April 17—Geo. W. Guthrie, the American ambassador to Japan, accompanied by Mrs. Guthrie, left Yokahoma today for the U. S. on board the steamer Manchuria. He is on a leave of absence.

Washington, April 17—The sixth case of bubonic plague at Havana, Cuba, since the present outbreak began, was reported today to the public health service.

BLIND THREE YEARS, ENDS HIS LIFE

Canton, April 17—Andrew Wieland, 70, formot deputy sheriff and long a member of the police force, committed suicide by shooting himself today. He had been blind three years and had placed hope of relief in a recent operation but was told by specialists a few days ago that he would never regain his sight.

He had since been very despondent.

Value of Education.

"The value of an education," said Uncle Eben, "is do same as dat of a razor. It depends on what you takes a notion to do wit it."

THE LATEST IN SPORTDOM

ROOKIES WILL PLAY THE STEELWORKERS SUNDAY

There will be a game in Millbrook park Sunday afternoon, play commencing at 2:30 o'clock.

The Portsmouth Ohio State league team reinforced by rookies from Doyle's training school will play the Portsmouth Steel Plant team and the fans are assured a good game. Many of the rookies will be trotted out to get the once over and the game will be full of interest.

Manager Spencer plans to use three pitchers and the Steelmakers will present their strongest lineup and fully expect to walk off the field victorious. Buck Yeager will handle the indicator.

AND HE WAS NOT JOKING EITHER

For several years, as readers of the sporting pages know, the domestic affairs of the Philadelphia National League club have been subject to frequent changes of administration.

During the December meeting of the Big League magnates in New York, Sherwood Magee, the star outfielder for the Phillies and one of the wags of baseball, dropped in to look things over.

Somebody spoke of the possibility of a new alignment of the directorate in Philadelphia.

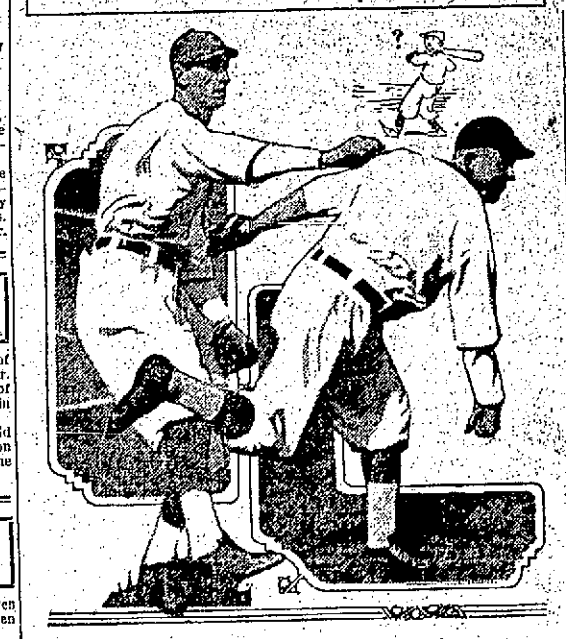
"I shouldn't be a bit surprised," said Magee; "in the years I've played on that team I've had no less than nine presidents under me!"

DEVELOPS INTO CONTEST OF SKILL

Nome, Alaska, April 17.—With the leaders less than 100 miles from the finish line at Nome the 412 mile all-Alaska sweep stakes dog team race has developed into a contest of skill between Leonard Seppala and A. A. (Scotty) Allen and of endurance between Seppala's sixteen Siberian wolven and the Allen-Darling team of sixteen Malamutes.

At 7:25 last night, Seppala, who was leading, drove into Council, 65 miles from Nome, having driven a total of 327 miles in 58 hours and 15 minutes.

PITCH CLASSY BALL FOR CHICAGO FEDS



McConnell (left) and Hendrix.

McConnell and Hendrix are two pitchers counted upon by Joe Tinker to help win the Federal league pennant for Chicago this year. McConnell is the man whose jump from organized baseball to the Feds recently caused an interchange of sharp words between President Thomas of the Cubs and President Weeghman of the Whales. Thomas charged that Weeghman had promised not to sign up McConnell.

Reds Beat Pirates

The Reds beat the Pittsburgh Pirates in one inning Friday, the final score being 4 to 2. The Reds have now copped two out of three from the Smoketown gang and the I Told You So's are chirping gleefully. The score:

Pittsburgh	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Carey, lf	3	1	0	3	0	0
Johnston, 1b	1	0	0	7	0	0
Viox, 3b	2	0	0	0	1	1
Hinchman, rf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Lejeune, cf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Gerber, ss	3	0	0	5	2	0
McCarthy, 2b	3	1	0	5	2	0
Gibson, c	1	0	0	1	2	0
Schang, c	2	0	2	1	1	0
Vance, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Conzelman, p	1	0	0	0	2	0
*Costello	1	0	0	0	0	0
Kantlehner, p	0	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	27	2	3	24	12	1

*Costello batted for Conzelman.

Cincinnati	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Leach, cf	2	1	1	1	0	0
Herzog, ss	3	1	0	3	3	0
Kilefer, lf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Griffith, rf	4	0	2	2	0	0
Groh, 3b	3	1	2	2	3	0
Olson, 2b	3	0	0	2	3	0
Mollwitz, 1b	3	0	1	9	0	0
Clarke, c	3	0	1	4	1	0
Douglass, p	2	1	0	0	1	0
Dale, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	24	4	7	27	10	0

Pittsburgh	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	—	2	3	1
Cincinnati	0	0	3	0	0	1	0	0	*	—	4	7	0

Struck Out—By Douglass 4.

Bases on Balls—Off Vance 5; Douglass 7; off Conzelman 1; off Dale 1.

Three-Base Hit—Schang.

Stolen Base—Leach.

Double Plays—McCarthy, unassisted; Olson to Herzog to Mollwitz; Groh to Mollwitz.

MASTER DRIVER SIGNS FOR HOOSIER RACE

BARNEY OLDFIELD

Seeking new worlds to conquer, Barney Oldfield, the World's master driver, has severed his connection with the Maxwell racing team, and signed to drive Charles Fuller's Bugatti in the next Indianapolis 500-mile race. The Bugatti is a foreign car, built in war-swept Alsace-Lorraine, now once again French territory. It is said to be tremendously fast, just the kind of car Barney dotes on in a hard contest. The outcome of Barney's adventure with his new mount will be the subject of much interested discussion.

LOCAL BOYS WIN GAME

Scout Billy Doyle was the happiest man in Portsmouth Friday night. Why the happiness? Why that's easy. Didn't Nick Carter beat the Indianapolis team and didn't Sam Jones throw the hooks into Detroit? Of course they did.

Jones relieved Hagerman and performed brilliantly for the Forest City crew against the slugging Tigers.

Pitching for the Cleveland Bearcats Nick Carter won 6 to 4. He held the walloping Indians to six hits.

TWO DE PALMAS IN INDIANAPOLIS 500-MILE RACE

We have heard of brothers in baseball, football, the prize ring and many other sports, but not until this year have brothers made their appearance in the auto racing spotlight. The De Palma family is going to increase its representation in the speed game by the addition of Thomas, America's road-racing champion.

Thomas and Ralph will both compete in the Indianapolis 500-mile race this season. Ralph will drive a Mercedes, his own car. Thomas will handle a Deinge. Ralph and Tom are now in Indianapolis overhauling their cars for the big race.

TO TRANSFER BEARCATS

It is almost a certainty that the Cleveland team will soon be transferred to Toledo. A deal to this effect has been practically closed it is claimed.

Rev. Pyle Saw Opener

(State Journal)

Rev. C. B. Pyle, who 15 years or more ago was an Ohio Wesleyan outfielder, came over from London to watch the game. He said that a search of the crowd would find quite a number of London citizens scattered about.

Rev. Pyle is well known here.

Judge Newman Was At Game

(State Journal)

Supreme Court Judge Oscar Newman, who several years ago learned a great deal about baseball business affairs by his connection with the Portsmouth Ohio State League club, enjoyed immensely the entire function.

W. D. Nothacker, resident of Lancaster and another who did his share to establish the Ohio State League, came up to see the fun.

NOT STRONG FOR BRAVES

President William Gabloman is not very strong for the Boston Braves. Not only does he not think that the Braves will repeat this season, but he stated last night in a fanning bee that he would not be surprised to see the famous Miracle Men finish in the second division.

Team Looks Stronger

In Kilefer and Griffith the Reds have evidently picked up two rattling good men. By the way those Reds look pretty well fortified in all positions this spring. Those who have seen them perform upon the green frankly admit that they look much stronger than last season.

Leach Cross Is Slipping

Now we know Leach Cross is slipping. He is going to meet Earl Fisher in a ten round bout in Cincinnati. Fisher is a third-rate fighter.

This Is Too Soft

By the way what has become of the Stephens-Herzog controversy? Why Stephens won of course. Isn't he still bossing the financial affairs of the Reds?

TO PLAY BARDEN

The Outlaws under the managership of Oscar James will go to Barden Sunday to battle with a team at that village. The Barden nine have been defeating comers this season.

Baker And Mack Talk

Philadelphia, April 17.—Frank Baker, the "home run king," was a spectator at the Boston-Athletic game here yesterday afternoon. He had a talk with Connie Mack.

When asked if he felt like getting in the game, he replied:

"It would seem natural. You never can tell what will happen. Baseball is an uncertain game." He was given an ovation by the fans.

Sounds Like Real Champion

Jess Willard says he will fight Carl Morris if they give him $40,000 for a ten round bout. Evidently Willard is a real champion.

Baseball

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

National League

Cincinnati 4, Pittsburgh 2.
Chicago 4, St. Louis 2.
Brooklyn 5, New York 3.
Philadelphia-Boston; rain.

American League

Cleveland 9, Detroit 6.
St. Louis 4, Chicago 2.
Washington 3, New York 2
Boston 6, Philadelphia 6; called.

Federal League

Baltimore 6, Newark 2.
Chicago 4, Pittsburgh 3.
St. Louis-Kansas City; rain.
Buffalo-Brooklyn; rain.

American Association

Cleveland 6, Indianapolis 4.
Minneapolis 9, Milwaukee 4.
Louisville 2, Columbus 0.
Kansas City 8, St. Paul 4.

STANDING OF CLUBS

National League

	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Philadelphia	2	2	0	1.000
Cincinnati	3	2	1	.666
New York	3	2	1	.666
Chicago	3	2	1	.666
Pittsburgh	3	1	2	.333
St. Louis	3	1	2	.333
Brooklyn	3	1	2	.333
Boston	2	0	2	.000

American League

	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	3	2	1	.666
Washington	3	2	1	.666
Cleveland	3	2	1	.666
Philadelphia	2	1	1	.500
Boston	2	1	1	.500
New York	3	1	2	.333
Detroit	3	1	2	.333
St. Louis	3	1	2	.333

American Association

	P.	W.	L.	Pct.
Louisville	2	2	0	1.000
Cleveland	2	1	1	.500
Indianapolis	2	1	1	.500
Minneapolis	2	1	1	.500
Milwaukee	2	1	1	.500
St. Paul	2	1	1	.500
Kansas City	2	1	1	.500
Columbus	2	0	2	.000

GAMES TODAY

National League

Pittsburgh at Cincinnati.
Brooklyn at Boston.
Philadelphia at New York.
St. Louis at Chicago.

American League

Chicago at St. Louis.
Cleveland at Detroit.
Boston at Philadelphia.
New York at Washington.

SPORTLETS

Newark International League team was sold to C. W. Medicus and George L. Solomon by Charles Ebbets yesterday. Harry Smith will manage the team.

Catcher Malloy and Outfielder Smith were released by Milwaukee yesterday.

Freddy Welsh will meet Johnny Harvey, of New York, in a twelve-round bout at Columbus April 23.

Pitcher Harry Keupper, who jumped from Bloomington to the St. Louis Feds and asked to be reinstated, cannot play in organized baseball, according to Secretary Farrell of the National Association.

Joe Rivers and Frankie Burns will meet in a return bout on April 2.

James J. Nolan has filed suit for $15,000 against Chicago Nationals, claiming that he was struck with a pop bottle at a game on August 29, 1914.

Sent To The Central

Pitcher Bill McVaugh who was with the Chillicothe club last year but who was owned by the Columbus Senators, did not land a position on that club this season. He has been sent to the Grand Rapids club of the Central league.

Has Signed 20 Players

Manager Dick Smith is evidently sincere about putting a winning team in Ironton. To date he has only signed up 20 players with many yet to be heard from.

FIXTURE AT THIRD

Yes, that's right, Heine Groh is performing skillfully at third for the Reds. It looks like he is a fixture there. Some little player this Leedle Heine.

Will Play Fullerton

Fullerton will hook up with Manager Warden's Shamrocks of the Peerless City Sunday afternoon at Coney Island. The following players are requested to be on the grounds at one o'clock: Fullerton, Bulwerl, Holl, Wells, Webb, Paynler, Bartlett, H. Dunham, R. Dunham, Anderson, Timberlake and Braden; Shamrocks: O. Cooper, lf; Thomas, ss; Reinhard, rf; Donothan, cf; Rivers 1b; Phillips c; Wallace 3b; Warden 2b; and Jeffords, p.

Are Pulling For Rickey

Isn't baseball the funniest old game ever? Can't dope it out. Here the Chicago White Sox murder Branch Rickey's team 17 to 0 Thursday and the Browns turn right around and beat the White Sox Friday. Rickey says his team will win a lot of games this season, which is pleasing news to his many well wishers.

YANKEES VS. CONVICTS

The Yankees will play the newly organized Convict nine at York park Sunday afternoon.

Caught By Engines

Pinned between two tractor engines at the plant of the Heer Engine company late Friday afternoon, Elmer Harris, residing at 1922 Twelfth street, was bruised about the hips, left side and his right leg was bruised and cut. Harris was quickly removed to the Hempstead hospital, as it was first thought he had been badly injured. After his injuries were dressed he was removed to his home in Dr. Rogers' automobile. Mr. Harris was using a board as a brake on a machine, which was being pushed by another tractor engine, when they suddenly came together and Harris was caught between them. And singularly enough, Mr. Harris' brother-in-law, George Floyd, was handling the machine that bumped into the one on which Mr. Harris was using a board as a brake to prevent it from getting away from them.

Mistake Made

The Times erred in saying that Guy Hughes, who charges Charles Stilwell with assaulting him, had recently separated from his wife. Guy is unmarried, and it was his brother Roy who was meant. Roy preferred the police court charge against Stilwell for his brother, however, and that is how the names became conflicted.

Bargains in Harness at Stabler's adv 16-3

LEGAL NOTICE

Sealed bids will be received by the Director of Public Service of the City of Portsmouth, Ohio, at the office of said Director until 12 o'clock noon, May 1, 1915, for furnishing the material for installing Water Mains in "Rosemary" Addition, to said City of Portsmouth, Ohio, in accordance with plans, specifications and estimates of City Engineer heretofore approved by City Council of said City. All bids to be F. O. B. freight allowed to Portsmouth, Ohio.

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Bidders are requested to use the printed forms which will be furnished on application. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

By order of the Director of Public Service, Wm. Gorgens, Sr.

W. B. RICHARDSON, Clerk.
Apr. 15-22
April 14, 1915.

NOTICE

Fred Barsteth, Mrs. Barsteth, Homer Carter and Janie Carter, whose places of residence are unknown, will take notice that on the 22nd day of February, 1915, William Ross filed his petition in the Court of Common Pleas of Scioto County, Ohio, being Cause No. 18953 therein, praying for the partition and the quieting of the title and an accounting of rents and profits of certain real estate, situated in Harden Township, Scioto County, Ohio, described as follows:

"Beginning at a stone and Hickory, corner to lots Nos. 40 and 51; thence with one line of Lot No. 40 north 73 degrees, west 64 poles to a stake at the southwest corner of an 80 acre tract sold to Frank Lambert; thence with said Lambert's south line south 17 degrees, west 200 poles to southwest corner of Lambert's 80 acre tract; thence south 17 degrees, east 200 poles to the place of beginning, containing 80 acres, more or less, being part of O. S. U. Lot No. 50."

Said cause will be for hearing on or after the 10th day of May, 1915.

WILLIAM ROSS, Plaintiff.
Blair & Kimble, Attorneys.
adv. 27-4 Sat.

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ALL TANGLED UP.

The maddest and most disappointed people in the state are the coal operators. This gentry was more than hostile to Jim Cox for urging the passage of the screen law; it was simply murderous. During the campaign it tied up check by jowl with Frank Willis and on election day it delivered the goods, Cox meeting with the usual fate of the official who does something for a particular class-slaughter by the votes of the miners.

The operators expected something from Willis in return, no matter upon what ground, they expected. This expectation was concentrated in a measure that practically meant the repeal of the coal screen law. It was sent through the senate like it was greased and its passageway through the house was smoothed and oiled. Suddenly something happened. The house faced 'round and fairly massacred the measure. The reason: It was whispered that the thing must not be allowed to get up to the Governor. He would either have to fish or cut bait on it. If he approved it union labor would be howling at his heels; if he didn't approve it the mine operators would set "the interests" at him and in either event some fine presidential dreams would go to smash. It has come to pass, however, as was inevitable, that the operators learned not only what hit, but who threw the brick and the most uncomfortable man right now in Columbus is one Frank Bancroft Willis, who finds a straddle always means a dump for the straddler.

GIVING STRAIGHT GOODS.

It is all too frequently said and too commonly believed that Americans are a nation of cheats and grafters, especially when it comes to dealing with government. It is singular that the most violent rebuke to this malignment should come out of the European war, as it does.

As we know, the Germans are nothing of not methodical and thorough. They have been making investigation of the ratio and cause of casualties and they claim that eighty per cent of their wounded are the victims of American projectiles. They do not find the Allies are using eighty per cent of American munitions, but they figure a higher efficiency or destructiveness in American explosives. In other words, only ten per cent of American made shells fail to explode, while of the French make as high as sixty per cent are "missfires." It may not be to the credit of this country that we are furnishers, in a large measure, to the neutrals, or at least one side of them, of their most destructive agencies, but it does speak well for the honesty and honor of our industries, that "where any old thing would go", they are furnishing to an exact degree the quality of goods contracted for.

In another way this condition is solacing to us. The alarmist and the fellow with some ax to grind is continually complaining America is not prepared for war. Here we have absolute assurance that we are prepared, better by far even than the countries that boast they are always ready for trouble. And finding it just because they think themselves best prepared.

DON'T GET HUFFY.

(Lisbon Journal.)

It don't pay to get "huffy" at a newspaper. There may come a time when you'll need it.

WHEN HE GREW UP.

(Atchison Globe.)

It is sad to think that the boy with a poetical name and long curls may grow up, raise whiskers and chew tuecent.

AN IMPAIRED LIVER.

(Toledo Blade.)

There must be something the matter with the liver of a wealthy man who can sit down with his face towards the lengthening shadows of life and dictate a will that puts matrimony out of reach of his heirs.

Now, there it is. We took the word of the morning twinkler for it that Tommy Patterson was going to run for city treasurer, supposing if it could get anything straight it would be about some Republican and a job, as that seems to be the sole aim and lust of its existence. But here comes the aforesaid Tommy and vows he is a candidate for county treasurer, not city treasurer. May he Tommy knows this time what he wants.

Farm lands in Scioto county are a promising investment.

WHEN THESE DAYS ARE ANCIENT HISTORY

REBUILDING THE NATIONAL ROAD.

(Hagerstown Mail.)

The old National road and along which many beautiful country seats have been established, now through here, was extended westwardly through four states and into Illinois, over 600 miles. It was not, in its early days, comparable in stretches to the Appian way, or the modern boulevard, or brick pike, or concrete roadway, but it served a great purpose and helped to bind the states together. Being a straight line between many important centres, and having a historical interest, it has become a permanent highway. It is natural, therefore, in the later years, that the counties and states through which it passes are rebuilding it with a permanent surface. At its western terminus it has been extended, and now practically it is a highway across the continent.

The National Highway Association is ambitious to see every mile of this road in good condition. Through many states mile posts of uniform style and permanency have been erected. And this year a party, led by the association, will traverse the whole line of the road. Historical pageants are to be held, and Richmond is already contemplating a big celebration for Eastern Indiana, Indianapolis and the rest of the states interested should of course, do their part toward the further development of this highway. Good roads are a mark of civilization.

To be sure if anyone wants to give to the Belgian relief fund, that's his privilege, with none to say him nay. At the same time there are other war funds and other war sufferers.

Perhaps, the Peerless was a trifle slow in getting the jitney habit, but she has got it now, and bad at that.

Billy Sunday has many a fine thing to say for the newspapers, these days. That shows his real quality. Most fellows forget what made them, once they get there.

Don't say it is Bryan stirring up this prohibition mess in the Democratic party. It is the other fellows that make such a hullaballoo every time he says anything that are making all the noise.

The Cubans like the American game of pugilism well enough, but they have scant fancy for Americans. Which is just a reminder that as a race we seem to have the most winning ways to make us despised in the foreign lands we inflict with our presence.

There is some mockery in the fact that ninety-seven of the biggest factories in the state have asked the Republican legislature to quit and go home without doing anything. In other words it's a prayer of deliverance from fool friends.

Just because Ironton has, or did have its dope joint, like New York, that is no reason why the up-river village should boast of metropolitan proportions.

$2,000,000 TO CHARITY

New York, April 17—The will of the late Mrs. John D. Rockefeller was filed in the surrogate's court today. She leaves bequests in the neighborhood of $500,000 and valuable articles of jewelry to friends and relatives. The rest of her estate, which is estimated in all at about $2,000,000, is bequeathed to charitable institutions.

Conferred Degree

Calvary Commandery, No. 13, conferred the Order of the Temple upon two candidates, Scott J. McDermott, of McDermott, and H. C. Mosely, of this city, Friday evening, before a large gathering of Sir Knights. Monday evening April 26, is the date of the annual inspection of the commandery and great preparations are being made for the event. Some of the most distinguished Sir Knights in the state will be in attendance.

Garden and field seeds at Stahler's. adv 15-3

"In The Spring"

The days of cleaning house have come,
The maddest of the roar,
When everything is upside down
And scattered far and near.
My meals are but a mere excuse;
My wife has grown a shrew,
The clothes I want are on the line;
My books the basement strew.

Each day, each week throughout the year
This house is garnished bright;
But when spring comes, my wife declares
The dirt germs are a fright.
And then she gets her pails and mops,
Her brooms and soap galore,
And life becomes for days untold
A nightmare and a bore!
—Lida Keck Wiggins in Judge.

How Did She Do It?

"Lying prone, she elevated her feet in the air, clapping her heels together."—(From The Turmoil).

No Such Animal

A sweet young thing asks:
"What should a girl do when she has found her ideal man?"
Do? Do nothing! There ain't no such animal!—New Castle Herald.

Signs of Spring

The jonquils blossom day by day,
Girls have new hats;
The larks give voice to roundelay,
So do the cats.

We notice signs of spring galore,
The boughs all bud;
The robins have returned once more,
So has the mud.
—Charleston Gazette.

Jolt to Romance

"You saw Venice, of course."
"We did."
"Did you go out in one of those highly romantic gondolas?"
"Yes; but that trip was spoiled for me."
"How so?"
"Our gondolier wore a derby hat.

A Fashionable Trial

"When does her trial take place?"
"Next week."
"Going to attend?" Why she has asked me to be maid of honor.

No Nice Editor Would

A young woman in the journalism class at K. U. was asked how she would go about it to get the news of a fire in a distant part of town, late at night, after the street cars had stopped running. "Well," she replied, "I suppose I'd have to call a taxi and go to the thing, but, personally, I don't think any editor who is a gentleman would make a girl go to a fire at such a time in the night."—Kansas City Star.

The Scant Garment

Women should remember that the scant garment always encourages the immoral men. — Zanesville Times-Recorder.

Not The Real Way

We don't suppose it would make a bowlegged girl perfectly happy about it to take her by the hand and assure her that her soul is just as white as anybody's.—Ohio State Journal.

What He Looked Like

"From the way you are staring at me, madam: I conclude I look like someone you know."

The city beautiful is a thing ever to be desired and always to be struggled for.

Cincinnati has a great ball club. Whether it can win more than once in awhile is another question.

Quite naturally Harmon objects to being quoted by Willis in his own defence.

The oracular Chicago News observes that an ugly baby is something no mother ever possessed.

And may be after it is Tommy that doesn't know what he is going to run for. Cert, though, he will run for something.

Animal Jingles

FOR LITTLE FOLKS
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ANIMAL SCHOOL

On the last day of school in Animal Town
The children sing songs and recite
The pieces they've learned, and their parents and friends
Applaud with the greatest delight.

Last time they did this 'twas a splendid affair;
The parents came dressed in their best
And all of the children behaved very well
And went through the program with zest.

"Before we speak pieces," said Schoolmaster Crab,
As he rapped on his desk with a stick,
"We'll just show your parents how wonderfully well
You manage Arithmetic."

"Give me the right answer," said Schoolmaster Crab,
"How many are thirteen and two?"
Then Adeline Adder said, "Fifteen!" right quick,
And Professor Crab said, "Very True."

"And now we'll have Mew-sic by Caroline Cat,"
Remarked the Professor, "and then
You will be entertained by a beautiful lay,
To be rendered by Harriet Hen."

And when this was over young Daniel Dog read
Some splendid original verse;
His proud friends remarked, "It was good doggerel,
We've really heard very much worse."

There were many more things that those Animals did
That I haven't time to repeat,
And to finish the program, Professor Crab gave
The Animal children a treat.

Then finally the parents and children went home,
And Professor Crab shook his old head.
"Though they are a handful, I'll really be glad
When they come back next year," he said.

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"So you do. You remind me so much of my dear old English bull terrier."—Baltimore American.

Going Up

Ladies' skirts are getting shorter;
They will reach the limit soon,
At the present rate they oughter
Be about knee-deep in June.
—Springfield Union.

No, Not That

Lots of fool married men will let a manicure girl hold their hands for half an hour, but some of them are smart enough to grab up a handful of dirt and soil their nails before they go home. A woman likes to see her husband keep clean, but she draws the line at manicuring.—New Castle News.

Our Ideas

Of nothing to eat—a Charlotte Russe.
Of nothing to wear—a fish-net union suit.
Of nothing to enter—an argument.
Of nothing to drink—bouillon.
Of nothing to wipe on—a paper napkin.
Of nothing to talk about—grand opera.
Of nothing to adopt—a fuzz poodle.
Of nothing to read—a popular magazine story.—Chicago Journal.

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Man a Fighting Animal.

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Notice is hereby given that the undersigned receivers for the Hansen Furniture company will receive sealed bids on and before April 20th, 1915, for the sale of the entire property of The Hansen Furniture Company. Bids will be received for the sale of the property as an entirety and going concern and also for the separate items of real estate, furniture and fixtures, and book accounts.

Information in regard to any of these may be had from the receivers at the office of the company, corner of Seventh and Chillicothe streets, Portsmouth, Ohio.

The receivers reserve the right to reject any and all bids and no sale can be made without the approval of the Court of Common Pleas.

Signed, JAMES R. DISTEL,
HARRY BALL,
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Ah! how good it feels. Your nostrils are open, your head is clear, no more hawking, snuffing, blowing; no more headache, dryness or struggling for breath. Ely's Cream Balm is just what sufferers from head colds and catarrh need. It's a delight.

IF KIDNEYS ACT BAD TAKE SALTS

Says Backache is a sign you have been eating too much meat, which forms uric acid.

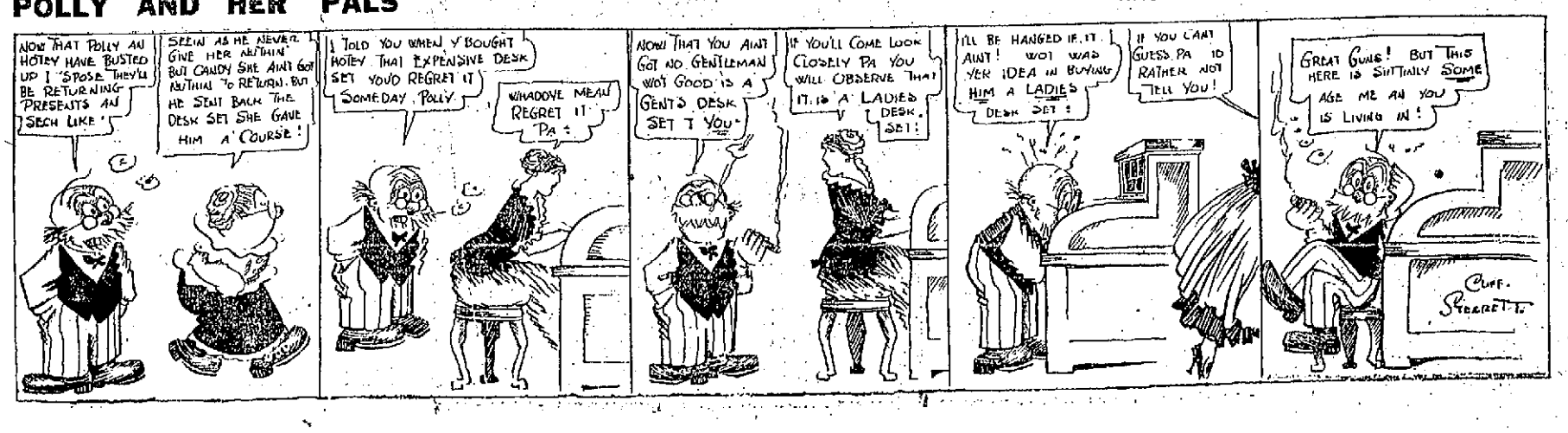
When you wake up with backache and dull misery in the kidney region it generally means you have been eating too much meat, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid which overworks the kidneys in their effort to filter it from the blood and they become sort of paralyzed and loggy. When your kidneys get sluggish and clog you must relieve them, like you relieve your bowels; removing all the body's urinous waste, else you have backache, sick headache, dizzy spells; your stomach sours, tongue is coated, and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine is cloudy, full of sediment, channels often get sore, water scalds and you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night.

Either consult a good, reliable physician at once or get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate sluggish kidneys, also to neutralize acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is a life saver for regular meat eaters. It is inexpensive, cannot injure and makes a delightful, effervescent lithia-water drink.

POLLY AND HER PALS

WAS POLLY IN LOVE WITH HOTEY OR THAT SET?



ROBBERS ARE BLAMED FOR BIG FIRE AT QUINCY

ENTIRE VILLAGE TURNED OUT TO FIGHT FLAMES

Robbers attempting to cover up their crime are believed to have been responsible for the fire which completely destroyed the large general store and two story family home of Merchant Jesse L. Scott at Quincy, Ky., 10 miles below Portsmouth Friday night.

A strange ladder, which had not yet been identified by Saturday morning and which was resting against a raised window of the upper story of the building was tell tale evidence of what had happened. The fact that there had been no stove fires in the building and that everything was in perfect order at the time of closing strengthened the suspicion that the fire which broke out at midnight was of incendiary origin and that the store had been previously looted.

Family Aroused By The Heat

The discovery of the fire was made by members of the Scott family who were aroused from their sleep by the heat and noises from the seething furnace into which the interior of the store had been transformed. The flames soon communicated to the home which stood but five feet away from the burning store and the family had barely time to escape in their night clothes and save a few household effects.

Loss Is A Big One

The store and home were reduced to ashes and Mr. Scott's loss is estimated at from $8,000 to $10,000. He carried but $4,500 insurance. For a time the fire threatened to spread to the J. B. Lowder and James Chapman homes nearby. Had it reached the latter fully a half dozen more homes would have been at the mercy of the flames. The entire village populace was out fighting the conflagration the bucket brigade securing its supply of water from wells and due to its heroic efforts the fire had spent its force by 2 o'clock Saturday morning.

The fire has caused much excitement at Quincy and it is thought that county authorities have already been appealed to for an investigation though interested parties were keeping mum on the subject.

Harry W. Mathiott May Sell Property

Negotiations are approaching a successful end for the purchase of Harry W. Mathiott's fine business property at No. 1117 Gallia street.

Columbus parties are seeking to buy the property and a deal is expected to be closed next week. Clarence A. Crabtree, real estate dealer, is negotiating the deal, which may also involve Mr. Mathiott's stock of merchandise. The prospective purchasers contemplate opening either a shoe store or millinery store. Mr. Mathiott is as yet undecided as to future plans, should the deal go through.

Youths Design A Clever Automobile

Portsmouth boasts of two young automobile designers and manufacturers in embryo, who, perhaps will be the Henry Ford or Hugh Chalmers of the coming generation. Raymond and Howard Kah, sons of John E. Kah, of 609 Seventh street, are hard at work on an auto runabout, which they hope to have assembled and in running order in time to enjoy the spring and summer season.

The four wheels were taken from old motorcycles, and assembled in a chassis of home construction. On top of this chassis has been placed the body of the car, manufactured out of an old frame bed, which has been made durable and at the same time not unsightly. On Friday, an eight H. P. engine, taken from an old motorcycle, was installed in the front of the car, and only the steering apparatus remains to be perfected. Raymond who is the boss manufacturer of the duo says he will have this in working order within the next week or so. The automobile is a chain drive.

Residents in the vicinity of the Kah home are eagerly awaiting the initial appearance of the Kah car, while the two boys are also looking forward with much anticipation to the time when they will ride in a car of their own construction.

Delegates Home

Delegates to the state convention of the Woodmen of the World from Portsmouth and New Boston Camps and their auxiliary organizations arrived home from Toledo Friday.

The delegates included Roy McElhaney, George A. Ditty, George Clifford, Captain Leslie Janetsky, William Hyland and W. H. Clarke of River City Camp, this city, Captain Warren Coffey and John Paynton, of New Boston Camp, Mrs. George A. Ditty, of River City Grove Woodmen Circle and Mrs. Thomas O'Neal, of New Boston Grove.

For Eastern Laughs.

"Mr. Dewer called again this morning," said the new office boy as Mr. Wilson entered the office. "Did you tell him I had gone to California, as I told you, Frank?" "Yes, sir." "What did he say?" "He asked when you would be back, and I said, 'After lunch.'"—Indianapolis News.

Goes the Limit.

When a woman is angry she tells a man just what she thinks of him—and, incidentally, just what she thinks other people think of him.

OBITUARY

Alonzo Webb

Alonzo Webb, aged 14 years, a pupil of the Campbell avenue school, died at the home of his grand parents, John and Mary F. Webb of No. 230 Plum street, Saturday morning about 5 o'clock after a two weeks' illness with typhoid fever. He is survived by his father Amaziah Webb, of Columbus and one brother, Hoyt Webb. No arrangements have as yet been made for the funeral.

Mrs. Nellie Spears

Death at 7 o'clock Saturday morning claimed Mrs. Nellie Spears wife of Floyd Spears of Wheelersburg. She had been ill with nervousness for several weeks, but the immediate cause of death was heart trouble.

Mrs. Spears in addition to her husband leaves six children, Murl Harry, William, Fred, Ralph and Carey. She also leaves her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hammon, of 1841 Eighth street this city, and two sisters, Mrs. L. G. Purtee, of Oklahoma City and Miss Ruth Hammon at home.

Humane Turkish Laws.

It is unlawful in Turkey to seize a man's residence for debt, and sufficient land to support him is also exempt from seizure.

Sons Of Veterans District Meeting Is A Big Success; Patriotism Is The Keynote

Patriotism was the key-note of the enjoyable program given on Friday evening by Vienna Camp, Sons of Veterans, and its auxiliary organization, with members of neighboring camps, the G. A. R., Women's Relief Corps, and Spanish-American war veterans, as especially invited guests. A large number of visitors were also present.

Added interest was given to the meeting from the fact that Commander Aughinbaugh, of the Ohio Division, and Secretary Shiery were present, and delivered interesting talks. Their presence did much to revive interest in the organization, and kindle the spark of patriotism in all present.

The hall at Fifth and Chillicothe streets was well filled with men and women, who enjoyed the interesting program and the refreshments that followed.

For several minutes prior to the opening of the meeting, the Sons of Veterans' drum corps played inspiring martial music at the bottom of the stairs, which attracted passersby and helped swell the crowd present.

Bugler V. E. Martin opened the evening's program with the assembly call. John Skelton, commander of Vienna Camp, in a brief speech, introduced the chairman of the evening, George S. Carroll, who responded in a witty vein.

Judge Thomas Welcomes Guests

The address of welcome to the visiting members and guests was made by Judge Jas. S. Thomas, whose speech was one of the most inspiring of the evening. He spoke of the feeling of cordiality and welcome that is always prevalent in Portsmouth, and stated that few cities in the United States equalled this city in the warmth and sincerity of the greeting to outsiders.

Judge Thomas said that he regretted the apparent absence of that spirit of patriotism and loyalty to the patriotic societies which was manifest in former years, and urged every one present to determine to be more loyal to the country's institutions than ever before.

In conclusion, Judge Thomas said: "I am not a man given to writing letters, nor do I believe in making public everything I write, but when I read of the recent outrage at New York City, during which the United States flag was trampled under foot, I was tempted to write to President Wilson and urge him to take decisive action in the matter."

Following Judge Thomas' address, Miss Blanche Bradford favored with a pleasing solo, "Face To Face," which was enthusiastically applauded.

Capt. Milstead Gives Address

Captain Cread S. Milstead, commander of Bailey Post, G. A. R., was the next speaker introduced. In the beginning, he entertained the audience with a series of anecdotes based on his experiences as a traveling salesman, which were hugely enjoyed. Toward the close of his brief remarks, he urged more frequent get-together meetings of the patriotic societies of the city, which he maintained, would promote the patriotic feeling all over the city. On behalf of the G. A. R. veterans, who occupied the front rows, he expressed appreciation for the invitation to the evening's program.

Capt. Milstead was followed by Harry W. Mathiott, commander of the Spanish-American veterans, whose sentiments were closely akin to those of the speaker who preceded him.

The two little daughters of Mr. and Mrs. David Scott made a big hit with the audience with their recitation of "Just Before The Battle, Mother," with piano accompaniment by Miss Bradford.

Mr. Musser Speaks

Filmore Musser was introduced as a former commander of the Ohio Division, Sons of Veterans, and received an enthusiastic reception as he arose to speak. Mr. Musser commended highly the patriotic societies of the city that are keeping aflame the spirit of loyalty to country and flag, and added that they should receive the greatest encouragement from the people of all classes.

In the absence of Mrs. Puntenny, of the Woman's Relief Corps, Mrs. Lena Kline Reed gave a selected reading, appropriate to the occasion, which was well received.

Harry Porter, the man who is winning fame all over the city as an imitator of animals, added fresh laurels to his reputation by his rapid fire monologue, punctuated by imitations of animal sounds that had the audience convulsed in laughter.

Frank B. Pratt, one of the Spanish-American war veterans present, was called upon for a short talk. Mr. Pratt urged the adoption in Ohio of a practice in Pennsylvania, where the school children salute the U. S. flag on their way in and out of the school room.

Commander Gives Address

Commander Aughinbaugh was then asked to address the assemblage. He opened by saying that while Pennsylvania had the greatest number of Sons of Veterans enrolled, Ohio had made the greatest gain of any division in the country during the past quarter. He prophesied that the state would in time take front rank among the divisions of the country.

"Each Camp should make itself felt in the community as a factor for public good. The members should lay aside all their personal differences, and work together in harmony. Every eligible man in the community should be enrolled in membership.

"At times, I have felt that the Ohio Division was not growing as it should, but when I see a gathering like this, which is similar to others which I have attended in the past few weeks, I am encouraged with the prospect. While it is not growing numerically as it should, the spirit among the members is increasing, and I look to the time when the Sons of Veterans will be second only to the G. A. R. in the furtherance of patriotic principles. Upon the shoulders of the Sons of Veterans should be carried the burden that the G. A. R. has carried for the past fifty years. Not sentiment alone, but real purpose should dominate our efforts."

Commander Aughinbaugh spoke of the privilege that the people of this country enjoy, while the nations of Europe are at each other's throats in battle array, and urged the members to ever promote the cause of peace.

In conclusion, he praised Vienna Camp for the headway it has made and the reputation it has sustained and also praised its publicity agent, Harry M. Sickles, who, he said, had the right idea of keeping the public advised of the purposes and aims of the organization.

Mr. Shiery Gives Address

Similar sentiments were uttered by the secretary, J. Edgar Shiery who stated that the Ohio division was constantly growing in membership and influence. He said that the report at Mansfield next June would be the best in years, and that new Camps were being instituted every week. He also pleaded for harmony of action, and stated that the time was coming when the Sons of Veterans would have to take the place of their fathers, the G. A. R. veterans in the upholding of the principles of patriotism and loyalty in this country.

Both Commander Aughinbaugh and Secretary Shiery expressed their appreciation of their cordial treatment, and said that they enjoyed their visit to this city as much as they have made. Commander Aughinbaugh was entertained at the home of Judge and Mrs. T. C. Beatty, while Secretary Shiery was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sickles.

Judge Thomas C. Beatty, when called upon for a few remarks, told of his visit to Arlington cemetery near Washington, D. C., and of the feeling that took hold of him as he stood in front of the grave of the nameless soldiers who fell in the great war of the rebellion. He spoke feelingly of the old Boys in Blue, and said that their memories would be cherished by future generations as one of the most priceless heritages that had been handed down to them.

Atty. Gilliland Closes Program

Attorney N. B. Gilliland, a member of Harrisonville Camp, closed the speaking program with an eloquent tribute to the brave women who remained home while their husbands and fathers went to the front. He pictured the hardships and privations suffered by these brave women in a most effective manner. Brief response was also made by Mrs. L. L. Beck, a member of the W. R. C.

During the closing speeches, refreshments of ice cream and cake were served by the committee in charge of arrangements. A vote of thanks was tendered this committee before adjournment, which consisted of the following members: S. O. V., Harry M. Sickles, Dr. O. D. Donaldson; Charles C. Bennett, John R. Skelton and Sampson D. Eckhart; Ladies' Auxiliary, Mesdames Harry W. Mathiott, Henry W. Fairtrace, John R. Skelton and Miss Blanche Bradford.

After the program was over, the state officers and members of Vienna Camp repaired to the latter's hall, where matters of interest to the camp and organization generally were discussed. Commander Aughinbaugh and Secretary Shiery left Saturday morning for West Union, where a new camp will be mustered in this evening.

Delegations from Scioto Camp, No. 16, of Harrisonville, John A. Logan Camp No. 44, of Friendship, and No. 66, of Wilgus, were present. Among those from Harrisonville Camp were William Thompson Nate B. Gilliland and John B. Dever. The Friendship delegation was headed by Capt. Edward Warren, who was accompanied by Albert Pyles, James Thatcher and Floyd Lavender. Some of the ladies of the visitors accompanied them.

Another distinguished visitor was Capt. James O. McManis of West Union, who came up to meet the state officers on their way to his town to muster in a new camp.

Mrs. Heil Stricken

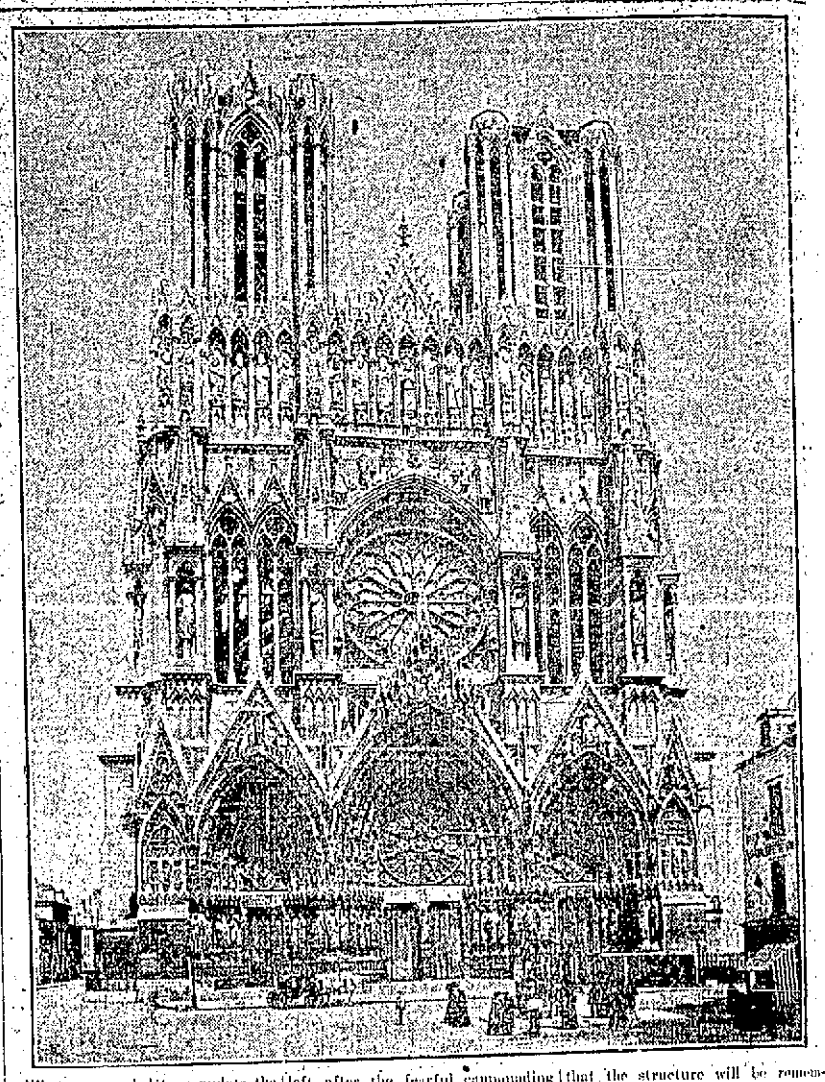
Mrs. Louisa Heil, one of the pioneer German residents of the city and a widow of the late John Heil, was stricken with paralysis Friday at her home, 928 Gallia street and her condition is very serious. Her left side is affected.

When William Heil, a son returned home Friday he found his mother lying on the floor in an unconscious condition. A physician was summoned and it was soon learned that Mrs. Heil had suffered a stroke of paralysis.

Acquiring an Education.

Nobody ever drifted into an education. Conscious effort to direct one's reading and thinking into the best channels is an absolute requisite. Choice must be made of books, of friends and of pleasures. One cannot read trash and think literature.—Amos R. Wells.

RHEIMS CATHEDRAL LITERALLY RUINED



What was needed to complete the ruin of the greatest of all examples of Gothic architecture has been accomplished by a Zeppelin raid. A few bombs dropped among the ruins left after the fearful cannonading of last fall have done the devastating work. It is, as it stood for centuries, as the unparalleled example of ecclesiastical architecture that the structure will be remembered in the centuries to come. Its restoration would appear to be well-nigh impossible.

Rev. Cartwright Is To Be Installed

Rev. Bliss B. Cartwright, pastor of the Central Presbyterian church, will be publicly installed on Tuesday evening, April 20th, at 7:30 p. m. Rev. Edwin D. Townsend, of the First Presbyterian church of Ironton, will deliver the installation sermon. Rev. Mr. Townsend is a college friend of Rev. Cartwright. Rev. S. D. Conger will give the charge to the minister, while Rev. John W. Dunning, of the First Presbyterian church, will give the charge to the people of the church. The public is cordially invited to attend the installing exercises.

Robbery Victim Sees Assailant On Street

Frank Piatt, a West Side horse-dealer, Friday night identified Marion Nichols, a prisoner at the police station, as the same who he claimed assaulted and robbed him of $315 at Circleville on March 27th.

Piatt had gotten a glimpse of Nichols when the latter was out with the city prison work squad Friday and he called at police headquarters in the evening and acquainted Chief W. F. McCarty with his suspicions. Nichols was brought before him and he at once declared him to be the man who had waylaid him after he had taken him into an alley to show him a horse. He said the man struck him in the side, "winding" him, and then took his pocket-book.

Piatt left for Circleville on an early train Saturday to prefer charges against Nichols at Circleville. Nichols was convicted in police court a few days ago of stealing a cheap watch from Will Denning, a young huckster.

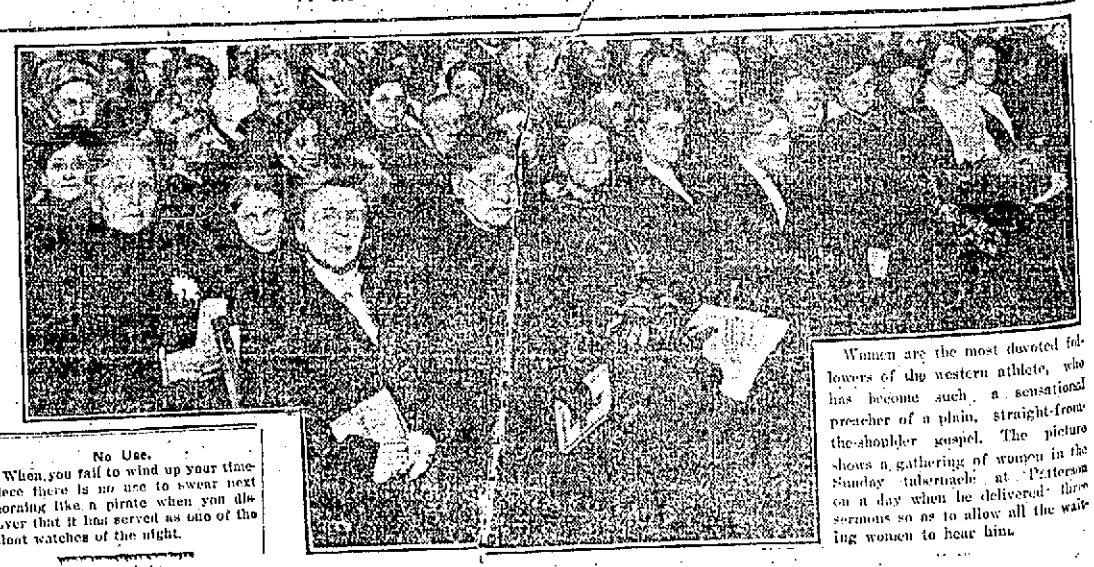
Now Passing Cards Around

S. Anselm Skelton, popular young attorney, started circulating his cards announcing his candidacy for the Republican nomination for city solicitor Saturday morning. He claims to have already received assurances of support that will make him a formidable candidate.

Much Used Woods.

Apple wood, used almost exclusively for saw handles, also furnishes the material for many so-called briar-wood pipes and particularly for the large wooden type used in printing signs and posters, says the forest service of the department of agriculture.

A SUNDAY CONGREGATION OF WOMEN



Women are the most devoted followers of the western athlete, who has become such a sensational preacher of a plain, straight-from-the-shoulder gospel. The picture shows a gathering of women in the Sunday tabernacle at Patterson on a day when he delivered three sermons so as to allow all the waiting women to hear him.

No Use.

When you fail to wind up your timepiece there is no use to swear next morning like a pirate when you discover that it has served as one of the silent watches of the night.